

WEATHER FORECAST  
Victoria and vicinity—Increasing east and south winds, becoming unsettled and milder followed by rain.  
Vancouver and vicinity—Increasing easterly and southerly winds on the gulf; unsettled; milder; rain.

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## SHIP CONVOYED AS SHE LIMPSTOWARD LAND

### New Measures and Weights Act Now Urged For Canada

Federal Business Inquiry Commission Hears Store Chain Head Suggest Weight of Paper Bags Be Included With Weight of Goods

Canadian Press  
Ottawa, Dec. 10.—A general overhauling of federal legislation dealing with weights and measures was suggested to the Parliamentary Mass Buying Commission today by Morley Smith, president of one of the largest food stores, Dominion Stores Limited.

"The Weights and Measures Act needs amendment more than any act I know on the statute books," said the store president. He stated, for instance, that under the act and various police magistrates' rulings, set weights were demanded although it was the prevailing custom of all Canadian grocers to include the weight of the manila bag with the weight of the goods.

"I believe a custom has more weight than the decision of a police magistrate," he said.

Acting under the strict interpretation of the Weights and Measures Act, the witness said, "anyone can find infractions just as quickly as a motorcycle policeman can find speeders on the highway."

"There ought to be a change in the act," asked Norman Sommerville, commission counsel.

"Yes."

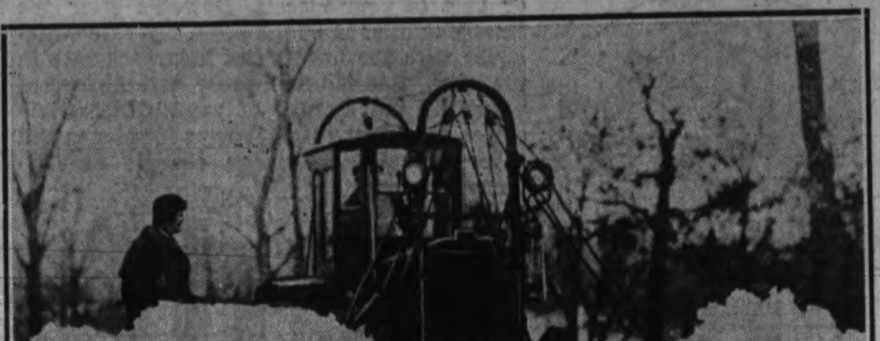
"To permit you to do that (give short weights)," asked Sam Packer, Liberal M.P. for Toronto West Centre.

"No, so it will admit of the carrying on of business in the light of reasonable customs in business."

**STORES' EFFORTS**

Dominion Stores Limited, the president said, did their utmost to give (Turn to Page 2, Col. 3)

### WHERE WINTER ALREADY HAS MADE START



That winter was well under way days ago in the northern part of the middle west of the United States is indicated by the above picture and traffic in St. Paul, Minn., was blocked for twenty-four hours by drifts for five to ten feet deep. A snowplow was eating its way along when the photo was taken.

### Victoria Maru Making Way From Mid-Atlantic to England After Big Storm

#### ACCLAMATION FOR TRUSTEE

K. Ferguson Automatically Wins One-year Seat on Local School Board

Kenneth Ferguson, prominent Canadian Club member and a member of the Victoria School Board during the 1929-31 term, became the city's new trustee-elect today.

When nominations closed this afternoon, his name was the only paper filed for the by-election to determine the successor to the late Trustee J. M. Campbell.

With his acclamation the field was closed for the contest voting which will feature all other phases of the civic elections. Two aspirants, including the present incumbent, stand for the post of mayor, ten candidates seek the council seats and four are entered for the school board's three vacancies.

To-night all candidates will be given an opportunity to speak at the public meeting in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium. The function will start at 8 o'clock with Mayor Leeming in the chair.

#### HOURLY PARKING RULE TIGHTENS

With the approach of the busy Christmas season in the city, police announced this morning that regulations governing hourly parking were to be tightened in the business area and motorists were warned against parking their machines beyond the time limit.

Latterly police have shown latitude in allowing cars to be parked for about an hour and a half before being checked, but with more people coming into the city traffic will be kept moving in fairness to both shoppers and merchants.

Japanese Freighter, Which Lost Third Officer Overboard After Captain and Chief Officer Killed Aboard, Struggles From North of Azores Toward English Channel

#### Ss. Amsterdam Is Steaming With Her

Associated Press  
New York, Dec. 10.—The gale-battered Japanese freighter Victoria Maru, her captain and two mates dead, was proceeding to the English Channel today under escort.

The stricken ship had been wallowing helplessly in the Atlantic, 500 miles north of the Azores, since SOS calls were sent out yesterday. Her bridge was carried away in the storm, her captain and chief officer killed, the third officer lost overboard.

A message picked up by the Radio-Marine Corporation this afternoon said the ship was "proceeding" to the English Channel under escort, Ss. Amsterdam, the message read.

Two ships had stood by the disabled freighter during the morning, apparently awaiting more favorable weather before attempting a rescue.

**THREE SHIPS STAND BY**

The Mackay radio received a message early this morning which said:

"Motor vessel Pacific Trader, Karl Cramer and Dutch Tanker Amsterdam are alongside Victoria Maru. No one taken off yet."

From the staccato story told in her message, the sea-going men deduced the stricken freighter had lost her rudder in the storm; was being directed by the movement of her propeller, and apparently was holding her own.

**BROADCASTS INTERRUPTED**

The drama of the ship against the sea was brought vividly into the warm living-rooms ashore late yesterday after the Japanese freighter had told of her predicament. Apparatus being disabled and asked that she be communicated with on commercial wave lengths between 200 and 400 metres.

Regular broadcasts were interrupted to assure the surviving members of the crew that their SOS had been received, and that ships in the vicinity were endeavoring to give aid.

In the first message yesterday evening, the Victoria Maru gave her location as latitude 45.39 north, longitude 28.25 west, about 484 miles north of the Azores.

A message at 9:23 p.m., picked up by the Ss. Washington and relayed to the Mackay Radio Corporation's station at Rockland, Me., asked:

"What is my bearing? I am alone but present conditions not so dangerous. I gave up about my recovery set. I will send tests every fifteen minutes for bearings."

The Radio-Marine Corporation received a report from the German liner Bremen that the liner Albert Ballin and several destroyers were in the vicinity of the Victoria Maru and were speeding to her side.

**BOUND FOR NEW YORK**

The Japanese freighter, bound out of Hamburg for New York with a crew of thirty-six Japanese, was on the Great Circle route used regularly by transatlantic shipping.

Through the black hours of the dead of night, no further word came to land of the floundering freighter. Then messages this morning told the three ships standing by.

Land operators expressed a belief that the ship's transmitting apparatus, as well as her regular receiver, may have fallen out of commission.

The Victoria Maru, built in Kobe in 1921, has a registered tonnage of 8,873.

Radio listeners in Victoria yesterday evening heard the news of the Victoria Maru's plight and the storm and observed the interruption of some of the eastern broadcast programmes.

### Canadian Golf Tourney Here

Vancouver, Dec. 10.—Open and closed golf championships of the Canadian Ladies' Golf Union will be staged in British Columbia next season, probably in September, Mrs. S. C. Sweeney, president of the B.C. branch, C.L.G.U., announced today.

Mrs. Sweeney stated she had received a telegram to the effect that she said the open tournament would be held in Vancouver and the closed event in Victoria.

### Plan To Carry Campaign East

Victoria Bureau Links With New Pacific Coast Advertising Drive

Victoria will share with Pacific Coast tourist organizations in carrying out a campaign in the eastern Canada and United States for 1935 tourist trade as the result of a conference in Vancouver during the week-end.

The initial campaign calls for an expenditure of \$10,000 by the organizations represented. Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle will share in the campaign through the medium of the Pacific Coast Tourist Association, Puget Sounders and British Columbia Associated. Other organizations participating are the Olympic Peninsula group, the Inland Empire group, International Cascade Highway Association, On-to-Oregon Incorporated, Oregon Coast Highway Association, Redwood Empire Association, Shasta Cascade Wonderland Association, Oakland and Alameda County Chamber of Commerce and San Francisco Chamber of Commerce.

Victoria was represented at the conference by Mayor David Leeming as president of the British Columbia and Puget Sounders, and George I. Warren, publicity commissioner.

Tentative plans were adopted to issue a joint folder featuring the major attractions of the Pacific Coast from the San Francisco Bay region north. It is proposed to print 200,000 folders and to have motion pictures taken and used by a lecturer who will go east to make personal contacts, keeping in touch with ticket agents, travel bureaus, auto clubs, newspapers and magazines. A special map will be drawn. Radio talks will be given and direct-mail broadcasts will be issued.

### Big New Pier At Port of Halifax Opened To-day

#### J. HUTCHINSON PASSES AWAY

Well Known Authority on Horticulture Succumbs at "Rockhome," Saanich

After a lingering illness, John Hutchinson, well known authority on horticulture, passed away this morning at his home, "Rockhome," Rogers Avenue, Saanich. Funeral services will be held to-morrow at 1 o'clock at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, after which the remains will be forwarded to Vancouver for cremation. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

John Hutchinson was born in Rome, the son of English parents. He came to Canada as a youth and was ranching for some years in Manitoba. In 1896 he came to British Columbia, settling in the Kootenay district, and was one of the group of pioneers who founded the town of Cranbrook.

Thirty-two years ago Mr. Hutchinson came to Victoria and for many years devoted himself to horticulture, establishing the Rockhome nurseries, and becoming widely known as a lecturer and writer on horticultural subjects. He is survived by his widow and one son, Bruce Hutchinson, also two grandchildren.

### OPPOSES NEW NAVAL CUTS

Britain Needs More Cruisers, Says Jane's Annual Book on Navy

Canadian Press and Associated Press  
London, Dec. 10.—A demand for more curtailment of British cruiser strength is made in the foreword to Jane's Fighting Ships, 1934, published here today.

"Discussions about the Washington limitation," the foreword says, "may have a happy solution next year, but whatever else is decided, there can be no more curtailment of our cruiser strength. Of all dangerous and useless economies which could be conceived, neglect of our cruiser defence is most reprehensible."

"It has neither helped the cause of peace, nor brought us any national benefit—rather the reverse in both cases. Our cruiser requirements bear absolutely no relation whatsoever to the known forces of other nations, and it is fatuous to attempt to calculate them in units of tons."

**U.S. BUILDING PLANS**

Washington, Dec. 10.—Government officials today were studying plans for speeding up the United States navy's shipbuilding programme in the next fiscal year if the present treaty negotiations go into a final collapse.

Japan has served notice she intends to denounce the naval limitations treaty on or about December 20. The treaty will remain in force until December 31, 1936. But the United States is so far below treaty limits now that her present construction programme will outlast the treaty.

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### Liberal Sweep In Dominion Predicted

Premier M. F. Hepburn, Holidaying in West Indies, Says Party's Victory in Ontario Will Be Repeated Throughout Canada

Hamilton, Bermuda, Dec. 10.—Holiday-bound, Premier Mitchell F. Hepburn of Ontario was sailing towards the islands of the Caribbean today after telling Bermudians, during a short stop-over, that the sweeping Liberal victory in his province would be repeated in the next Canadian federal election.

Not more than thirty Conservatives would win seats in the next Dominion Parliament, Premier Hepburn predicted at a luncheon tendered him following his arrival from New York.

Empire trade agreements negotiated at Ottawa came in for considerable criticism during his speech as he held out to Bermudians that a return of Liberal policies would bring lower tariffs and might be expected to influence Canadian-West Indian trade.

"The Ottawa pact was 'an eye for an eye, a tooth for a tooth' system, which was not working out very well, Premier Hepburn declared.

**STEVENS TO SPEAK**

Toronto, Dec. 10. (Canadian Press).—Hon. H. H. Stevens, M.P., former Dominion Minister of Trade and Commerce and former chairman of the mass buying committee, will address the United Farmers of Ontario at their annual convention here December 12. The convention will start to-morrow and conclude on Friday.

### KAYE DON IS OUT OF JAIL

British Speed Driver Gets Early Release From Isle of Man Prison

Douglas, Isle of Man, Dec. 10. Kaye Don, famous British speed driver, was released today after serving ten weeks and two days of a three-month sentence for manslaughter growing from the death of his mechanic in a wreck on a trial auto spin.

He was met by a group of friends at the gates of the prison before dawn and immediately boarded a ship for Liverpool.

His health, it was stated unofficially, was the reason for Don's early release. With time off for good behavior.

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### Bob Smith Will Be Master-of-ceremonies in Great Gyro Hamper Campaign

Something new in the way of radio entertainment is promised by officials of the Gyro Club Christmas Hamper Fund. They promise, for a sufficient contribution towards the filling of Christmas hampers, to get any particular citizen or group of citizens in Victoria to sing for the donor. The Gyros have visions of a chorus of aldermen or a quartette of school trustees chanting into the microphones of CFCT.

To-morrow night will see the opening of the greatest radio campaign in the history of Victoria. The facilities of radio station "CFCT" have been booked on behalf of the hamper fund by various companies and stores for the better part of two weeks.

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### Jugoslav-Hungarian Agreement Announced

Accord in Principle Reached at Geneva Which It Is Hoped Will End Tension in That Part of Europe

Canadian Press from Havas  
Geneva, Dec. 10.—Jugoslavia and Hungary this afternoon reached an accord in principle on their differences arising from the assassination of King Alexander at Marseilles.

It was expected the whole matter would be brought to a conclusion this evening. Rt. Hon. Anthony Eden, British Lord Privy Seal, French Foreign Minister Pierre Laval, Baron Pompeo Aloisi of Italy and Koloman de Kanya, Hungarian Foreign Minister conferred and announced a basis of agreement had been established.

A meeting of the council was set for this evening to discuss this agreement and terminate the debate.

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### New Drive To End Bootlegging

Canadian Press  
Vancouver, Dec. 10.—In an effort to curtail activities of bootleggers by making those who frequent their establishments liable to punishment under law, the Vancouver board of police commissioners has asked the Attorney-General to bring down an amendment to the B.C. Liquor Act. Similar legislation was sought previously without result.

### Kingston Plant Increases Output

Canadian Press  
Kingston, Ont., Dec. 10.—D. H. Reid, president of Reid Brothers Limited, worsted manufacturers of Kingston, and head of the parent firm in England, declared here today his firm was increasing production in the plant here "to prove to you that I firmly believe in the future of Canada." He declared the increase might be 25 to 30 per cent.

### "What Do I Do?" He Asks, Holding Thirteen Spades

Strain is too Great for Desmond McKinnon, 1465 Woodlands Road, and he Lays Down the Hand, Claiming the Grand Slam.

"Just what do you do with a hand like this?" queried Desmond McKinnon, 1465 Woodlands Road, when he picked up his cards while playing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mann, 2708 Bridge Street, last Friday night.

H. Minkler, 2883 Pacific Ave., playing at the next table, turned around and looked. He beheld a completely "black" hand, and what is more the cards were all spades.

Mr. McKinnon was almost overwhelmed.

His partner, Miss Norma Mann, sitting next, bid one heart.

Bert Jude, east, spoke up with two clubs.

"I can't stand the strain. Seven spades," quoth Mr. McKinnon.

Miss Alice Mellor, sitting west, never had a chance to even think of doubling because Mr. McKinnon tossed his cards face up on the table as others attending the bridge party gathered around him to see this unusual hand.

The others at the table testified to the correctness of the deal. The cards were properly shuffled and cut and Miss Mann dealt them.

### Mrs. E. Robillard Dies Suddenly

Mrs. Ella Robillard, who has been a resident of Victoria and district for twenty-four years, passed away very suddenly this morning at her home at Sooke. She was about as usual yesterday and her death came as a great shock to her family and a wide circle of friends.

Mrs. Robillard was born in France and for the last eight years had been living at Sooke, where her sons, Raoul and Andre, who survive her, have been well known as the proprietors of the Sooke Harbor Hotel, which was destroyed by fire during the summer.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

### "GIVE A JOB"

"Why do the majority of us, when there is a job to be done immediately, hide behind the excuse that 'the government should do it.' Is this good business? Is it even common sense, for when it comes to the final issue any government must obtain the money to do the things that we should do ourselves, from us, in the form of taxation," said a representative of the "Give a Job" campaign today.

"How much better off we should all be, if each one of us would do our little share. One way to do this at the present time is to 'Give a Job' to the other fellow. Those who can create jobs are asked to telephone the Employment Service of Canada, G.2411."

### DR. A. R. DAFOE SEES NEW YORK

New York, Through Newspapers, Also Sees Physician of Famous Dionne Quintuplets

Canadian Press  
New York, Dec. 10.—Having struck his stride, Dr. Allan R. Dafoe continued his visit to New York today, cool and collected despite the great hubbub the metropolis turns loose when personages are on the scene.

On the programme of the chubby little northern Ontario practitioner, who could well claim the title of No. 1 obstetrician for delivery of the Dionne quintuplets, was a call on "Al" Smith, New York's No. 1 citizen. "Al" was to conduct the Ontario doctor to the lofty peak of the Empire State Building for a bird's eye view of the city.

The Callender, Ontario physician, who attended at the birth of the world-famous Dionne quintuplets, today accompanied New York's No. 1 citizen, "Al" Smith, to the top of the lofty peak of the Empire State Building from where they viewed the mighty panorama of the city.

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### Henderson and Angell Awarded Peace Prizes

President of Disarmament Conference 1934 Nobel Winner; Author of "Great Illusion" Gets 1933 Award

Stockholm, Dec. 10.—Two Britons today were awarded the 1933 and 1934 Nobel prizes for their contributions to world peace. Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson received the 1934 prize for his work as president of the Disarmament Conference and Sir Norman Angell, famous British publicist, the 1933 award, which was not given last year, for his writings against war.

It was learned Saturday that Mr. Henderson would receive the 1934 prize, and his presence here today to receive it confirmed it even before the news was officially announced.

The awarding of the 1933 prize to Sir Norman Angell, who had been rumored as a contender for this year's prize, was unexpected in many quarters.

**PUBLIC APPROVAL**

Both awards, however, were received with universal approval. Mr. Henderson has drawn international attention to himself for his undeviating pursuit of the aims set forth when the Disarmament Conference was convened at Geneva and his unwillingness to let it collapse in the face of tremendous odds.

Sir Norman Angell, whose book, "The Great Illusion," was a best-seller, was awarded the 1933 prize.

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### NEW B.C. JUDGE SWORN IN TO-DAY

Canadian Press  
Vancouver, Dec. 10.—F. G. T. Lucas, K.C., was sworn in as a judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia today by Chief Justice Avley Morrison. He will hold his first trial to-morrow.

Two others were subscribed to by Mr. Lucas before the chief justice, one of allegiance and the other that he would faithfully discharge his duties without fear or favor.

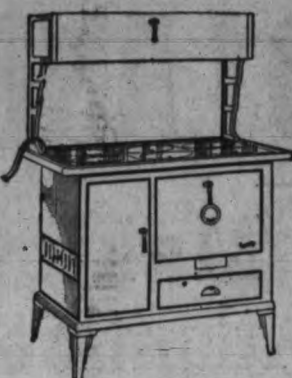
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## India Bill Debated In British Commons

House Crowded as Government Asks Members to Approve New Self-government Scheme

London, Dec. 10.—All benches were crowded as the battle over the new constitution for India opened in the House of Commons to-day. The occasion was a general debate on the report of the joint select committee recommending self-government with safeguards, which is the basis of the legislation to be introduced shortly.

Sir Samuel Hoare, Secretary of State for India, led the fight with a motion approving the recommendations of the joint committee. Two amendments were submitted during the debate, which will last three days—a Labor amendment declaring the report does not go far enough in recognition of the right to Dominion status and a Conservative amendment that the report's recommendations "neither bring good government nor contentment to the people of India, nor conduce to the prosperity or strength of the empire."

Sir Samuel summarized the broad conclusions of the report as calling for provincial autonomy, an All-India federation of British India and the native states, and responsible self-government with safeguards.

He was emphatic the government intended to introduce a bill embodying these principles and to pass it into law during the present session. If the present bill fails, he said, he could not see any British government with any reasonable time taking the transfer of power and incurring unpopularity at home by producing another scheme.

## Four Druggists Held For Trial

Charges in Portland Follow Twenty Men's Death From Wood Alcohol

Portland, Ore., Dec. 10.—Four drug store owners were charged with manslaughter to-day after twenty men had died from drinking poisonous denatured alcohol purchased in Portland's north end, a district with a large floating, "down and outer" population.

Police and the district attorney's office continued their investigation of the ghastly death toll from the poisoned drink.

Officials said those charged with manslaughter were George Jacobs, sixty-eight; Solomon Miller, thirty-seven; Charles Hadjef, forty-two; and Cornelius E. Dunn, forty-five. They were ordered held under \$15,000 bail. Their stores were closed.

The bodies of the poisoned alcohol were in a serious condition to-day in hospitals. Two were expected to die. One was made blind.

## Jugoslav Hungarian Agreement Announced

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HONOR NOT QUESTIONED  
Nicholas Titulescu, Foreign Minister of Roumania, poured oil on the troubled waters of Hungarian-Jugoslav relations to-day by telling the League of Nations Council that Jugoslav's appeal against Hungary in no way questioned the national honor of Hungary.

Since Mr. Titulescu is a recognized leader in the Little Entente of Jugoslavia, Roumania and Czechoslovakia, his move was like an olive branch.

TREATY PROPOSED  
France introduced the draft of a treaty providing for the creation of an international criminal court for the repression of terrorism. It would be permanent and would consist of five members.

Reports said the statement's revamped plan to solve the Jugoslav-Hungarian dispute involved an invitation to Hungary to conduct a rigid investigation of the murder of King Alexander of Yugoslavia at Marseille and to punish anyone found guilty of connection with the crime.

The cessation of deportations of Hungarians from Yugoslavia has helped relax a situation which was so serious that Pierre Laval, French Foreign Minister, told a colleague this conflict should be settled and must be settled to maintain the peace of Europe.

## HUNT FOR FLIERS IS TAPERED OFF

Honolulu, Dec. 10.—As hope dimmed that Flight Lieut. Charles T. P. Um and two other Australian fliers at sea since last Tuesday would be found alive, the U.S. navy to-day abandoned its widespread search in the mid-Pacific. The army is yet to decide whether its planes shall continue the hunt.

## PIONEER OF NANAIMO DIES

William Morton Took an Active Part in Island City's Affairs

Special to The Times  
Nanaimo, Dec. 10.—The death occurred in Nanaimo Hospital on Saturday of one of Nanaimo's oldest pioneers in the person of William Morton. He was eighty-three years of age.

For several years he was an active member of the city council. Was a member of the First Methodist Church and the Odd Fellows.

A native of Scotland, Mr. Morton migrated to the United States in the gold rush days and later came to Nanaimo, and was for many years in the hardware business. He is survived besides his wife by two sons, Will J. and Arthur, in Nanaimo, and Mrs. Edward Snyder, Vancouver. The funeral took place from the D. J. Jenkins parlors to-day at 2:30 o'clock.

## New Measures And Weights Act Now Urged For Canada

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full weight, having regard to the perishable nature of goods and the type of scales. Smith said it was impossible to give sixteen ounces to the pound at the time.

It was the policy of Dominion Stores, Smith said, not to include in prepackaged goods a fraction of an ounce to take care of ordinary shrinkage.

"Why should the customer take the shrink and not the store?" Counsel Sommerville asked.

"The store should take it," agreed the chain store president.

INSTRUCTIONS TO MANAGERS  
Dominion Store managers, Smith said, were instructed to weigh prepackaged goods and if not full weights to secure a credit allowance from the head office. He admitted allowances were not taken often by the managers.

"How can you account for the fact," Counsel Sommerville asked, "that in forty-seven of your stores there were twenty-three scales balanced against the customer to the extent of one-half ounce or more—that is in 50 per cent of the stores investigated. Can you account for that?"

"I should say that exists because the manager has not been careful enough watching his scale," said the witness.

"But it is a singular thing," counsel said. "There was not one scale balanced for the customer."

"That is because they are just as apt to be balanced against the customer as for the customer," Smith replied.

"Certainly not," Smith replied. He repeated that one solution lay in amendments to the Weights and Measures Act.

Changes in the act will not change the proportion of short weights of the grocery stores. No deliberate dishonesty on the part of 95 or 99 per cent of his managers.

WAGE LEVEL  
Members of the commission asked the chain store president why his company, paying dividends of 8 per cent throughout the depression and rolling up profits of \$4,000,000 in ten years, should pay such low wages.

The average wage for clerks in the Toronto division was \$10.99 a week, Smith said he was paying all the wages he could although he would like to pay more. His wages, he claimed, would compare favorably with other chains and independent stores. When he was told independent wages were higher than his, Smith insisted the commission had not investigated them fully enough to warrant sound judgment.

## WELL DIGGER BURIED ALIVE

Associated Press  
Greystones, Irish Free State, Dec. 10.—With rescue workers only one foot away, a new slide of earth swept down over the head of Joseph O'Leary today, probably killing the man who had been buried alive in a well more than forty-two hours.

Until after 2 p.m., O'Leary could be seen in the well, all the lower part of his body gripped by a mass of stones. Hundreds of persons were gathered at the spot, hoping to free him.

Shortly before the last cave-in, a priest was lowered into the well on a rope. There he gave the trapped man conditional absolution.

O'Leary, a plumber, was working in the well on a ladder at 8 o'clock Saturday evening when the wall collapsed. He was trapped with only his neck out and the rungs of the ladder were broken.

Rescuers working from above managed to free his arms and get food and stimulants down to him, but they could not free his legs from the mass of rocks holding him below surface.

GREW WEAKER  
To-day he was visibly growing much weaker and his voice was fainter.

Some of the hundreds of persons gathered here were attempting to dig a tunnel by which they might reach him from below, to avoid the danger that operations from above would bring a smashing avalanche of stone on to his head.

"How long will it take to reach me?" O'Leary asked repeatedly to-day. His voice showed he was suffering great pain.

To the suggestion that it might be necessary to amputate a leg to get him out, O'Leary replied: "Take me out as I am or let me die."

In the crowd about the well, many of whom knelt in prayer, were O'Leary's father, Matthew, and brother, Patrick.

Shortly before 2 p.m., the rescuers were within a foot of O'Leary, who, at that time, was still conscious.

## GRAVELY ILL

Montreal, Dec. 10 (Canadian Press).—The condition of Miss Sylvia Stevens, daughter of Hon. H. H. Stevens, M.P., former Minister of Trade and Commerce, to-day was reported as unchanged at the hospital where she is seriously ill.

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## Big New Pier At Port Of Halifax Opened To-day

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Beside Mr. Bennett as he declared the pier officially opened were Hon. E. H. Rhodes, Minister of Finance and former Premier, and Mr. D. J. Macdonald, Minister of Marine, who were flanked by Hon. Walter H. Covert, Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia, and Hon. Alfred Durneau, Minister of Justice of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia; Mayor E. J. Cragg, and members of the Harbor Commission, including L. Tetherington, Chairman, and O. P. Goucher.

NATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE  
Regarding the opening of the new port facility as an event of national significance, the Halifax Herald-Examiner published a three-hour programme. Following the brief opening ceremony at the pier at noon, a luncheon was held at the Nova Scotia Hotel attended by more than 900 representative Nova Scotians and distinguished visitors from other parts of the Dominion. Premier Bennett was the chief speaker, and Mr. Rhodes was the chief guest. The ceremony was presided over by Mayor Cragg, who also spoke briefly. J. L. Tetherington, president of the Halifax Harbor Commission, who presided, introduced the speakers.

COMPLETION OF THE PIER  
Completion of the pier marks the first expansion of large proportions in port equipment under the harbor commission form of port administration. The new pier belongs to the harbor commission, and is expected to prevent in the immediate future the inconvenience and delay in the loading and unloading of ships that have been experienced in the last few winters, when diversion of shipping from Montreal to Halifax has followed a regular freeze-up of the St. Lawrence.

DETAILS OF PIER  
The new port unit is 1,250 feet long, extending into the harbor at right angles to the shore, it affords berthing accommodation for four ships, the water varying in depth from a minimum of thirty-five feet to a maximum of fifty feet. The pier is divided into two main sections, each of which is 625 feet long and 100 feet wide. The uncovered dockside working area consists of a strip of the pier nine feet wide, the entire length of each of the main transit sheds. Single line railway tracks run the length of both strips, permitting the transfer of freight directly from ship to railway cars and from cars to vessels. At the deep water end of the pier is another one-story transit shed, with a floor area of seventy-three by eighty feet, connecting the two main sheds. The open dockside working area of this shed is twenty-five feet wide.

DECLARES HIS FAITH  
Halifax, Dec. 10.—Unwavering faith in Canada's future, in the face of the "crisis of our fate," was voiced here to-day by Prime Minister R. B. Bennett as he addressed a gathering of civic, provincial and federal dignitaries after opening Halifax harbor's new pier.

"Great problems lie before Canada," the Prime Minister told a luncheon gathering after the ceremony. "We have emerged from the depression and into a period in which we are moving upward. But the crisis of our fate is before us—not behind us."

Difficulties facing Canada for the next few years, Mr. Bennett declared, were of "such transcendent national importance as to fill those in authority with a sense of inferiority in coping with the problems." But he knew, he told his hearers, that Canadian courage would be equal to the occasion if Canadians bent their efforts with a unity of thought to the tasks that confronted them.

He spoke of the government's work since taking office. "Do you think," he said, "that it has been easy to maintain Canada's credit during the last four years?" It had been difficult. But to-day Canada stood in the position of a country which had paid off its debts and kept its credit high.

"There had been failures among the world's nations," he said. "But Canada had succeeded. 'Why? We are young; we are on the threshold; our possibilities are as yet unrealized. We are a debtor nation, and unless we can maintain our credit where will the capital come for Canada's development?'"

FOR THE FUTURE  
This has been the purpose in springing no effort to keep up Canada's credit. "We were not," said the Prime Minister, "meeting our obligations for to-day, but for the future."

He declared that had prompted the government to lay out great sums in helping Halifax develop this port, even when there were "times when we were 'difficult to know where the money was coming from.'"

All Canada had contributed to the construction of Pier B and other units of the port and the Prime Minister expressed hope its advantages would redound "to the benefit of all."

He was granted a number of special privileges, including the right to keep on lights until 10 o'clock at night. In addition, he received books and newspapers and frequent visits from his wife, instead of the regulation one weekly.

With no special duties to perform, Don spent much time making a kennel for his wife's pet dog.

## KAYE DON IS OUT OF JAIL

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havior, his term would have ended January 4.

Watchers at the dock said Don was so eager to leave that he did not wait for the Channel steamer to lower its gangplank, but leaped from the pier to her deck.

During his confinement Don was said to have been a "model prisoner," and was granted a number of special privileges, including the right to keep on lights until 10 o'clock at night. In addition, he received books and newspapers and frequent visits from his wife, instead of the regulation one weekly.

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## Henderson And Angell Awarded Peace Prizes

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"The Great Illusion," published four years before the Great War, forecast with convincing accuracy the forces that were then driving the world towards catastrophe, has written for years on behalf of peace.

OTHER PRIZES GIVEN  
Four United States citizens and one Canadian were also honored to-day in the 1934 Nobel prize awards, given under the will of the late Alfred B. Nobel, maker of a fortune in munitions.

The Americans shared the prize of medicine, the other went to chemistry. The award went to Luigi Pirandello, Italian novelist and dramatist.

King Gustaf made the awards in the Stockholm Concert House.

Three of the United States citizens who received the honors were here in the presentation. They were doctors George Minot and William O. Murphy of the Harvard University Medical School, and Dr. George H. Whipple of the University of Rochester, joint winners of the award in medicine.

Dr. Harold Clayton Urey of Columbia University, who discovered the "heavy water" won him the chemistry prize, was unable to attend the ceremony.

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## DR. A. R. DAFOE SEES NEW YORK

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Later Dr. Dafoe visited the Bronx Zoo and Bellevue Hospital.

MANY REPORTERS THERE  
Dr. Dafoe, accompanied by his brother, Dr. William Dafoe of Toronto, and his brother's wife, arrived at the Grand Central Station yesterday and was immediately surrounded by photographers, newspapermen and police.

With screaming sirens of motor-cars, the doctor and his wife, who had breakfasted at the hotel, took a taxi to the Battery to view New York's skyline, rode uptown in a subway hanging to a strap for the "best-of-photographers" returned to his hotel, and lunch and eventually presented himself as fresh and bland as a northerner to a press conference.

WONDERFUL  
He said he thought New York was wonderful, the quintuplets were doing well, after his visit to Washington and Baltimore he intended to go back to Callander, a wonderful country. "It's home. Why shouldn't I stay there?"

ANSWERS QUESTIONS  
Sitting quiet and solid in an easy chair in the Ritz Hotel and adding to the rumors of pipes and cigarettes from his own cigar, the doctor answered a hundred questions with good humor.

"Dr. Dafoe," said a serious reporter, "do you think modern women spend too much time in night clubs?"

"I don't know. All they do up north is have big families."

"Do you agree with Arthur Brisbane that Mrs. Dionne is the first woman of 1934?"

FROM GOOD STOCK  
"As far as the north country is concerned," he said, "we need the population." The French-Canadian stock was as good as there was on the North American continent, and he was sure of it. "A-I"—and led a normal life.

MOTHER'S FIRST REMARK  
Mrs. Dionne was pretty sleek and did not know about the arrival of the quintuplets for a couple of days, said Dr. Dafoe. Her first expression, when she knew about it, was, "Holy Mary!"

When it was suggested the doctor had brought 1,600 babies into the world, he said, "Take off a couple of hundred."

Contrary to reports, Dr. Dafoe did not know of his own knowledge that Mrs. Dionne was about to become a mother again. She herself denied it. "These babies are only six months old," he said. "I think we ought to give her a chance."

He had no comment to make on birth control.

Under present conditions he thought the quintuplets had a very good chance of long life.

## GREAT ERUPTION IN NEW ZEALAND ENDS

Islands' Only Active Volcano Shoots Rocks and Smoke to Great Height; Flames Visible 100 Miles Away

Canadian Press Cable via Reuters  
Wellington, N.Z., Dec. 10.—After three days of eruptions, during which its display could be seen 100 miles away, New Zealand's only active volcano, the Ngauruhoe, had subsided to-day. Inland on North Island, the volcano became active last Thursday. The climax came yesterday when, after a dramatic suddenness, a huge column of thick, black smoke shot up from the centre of the crater. At intervals of a few seconds twenty similar columns followed. The smoke rose to an estimated height of 6,000 feet above the summit of the volcano.

During one of the greatest eruptions, builders could be seen hurled into the air, falling back into the crater again. A party of four, attempting to climb the mountain, narrowly escaped death when an eruption sent an avalanche of boulders down the mountain.

## RADIO SERIES IS TO-MORROW

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Each evening musical entertainment will be provided with special concentration on requests. Three telephone lines at CPCT and a competent staff, under Mrs. Alma Glazan, will deal with the flood of requests and donation promises which are expected to pour in each evening. The phone numbers will be G 8106 and G 8107 and the regular phone of CPCT, G 3014.

The Musicians' Union has promised its full co-operation to fill in any vacant spots in the programmes with instrumental and orchestral numbers.

MASTER OF CEREMONIES  
The opening programme to-morrow evening will start with a few words from George Deaville, manager.

of CPCT, who will introduce Bob Smith, master of ceremonies for the series. Mr. Smith spends odd moments during the day practicing various inanimate objects, such as his shaving mirror and the office telephone, in preparation for his ten days' spell before the microphone. Mr. Smith will be assisted by Bill Hudson and Archie Willis.

To-morrow night Mr. Smith will in turn present Mayor Leeming and Mr. Woodhouse, president of the Oyo Club, who will speak briefly on behalf of the campaign. They will be followed by various aldermen, who will bring messages from the city council.

The list of the sponsors for the Oyo series is as follows:  
Tuesday, December 11, the City of Victoria.  
Wednesday, December 12, the United Commercial Travelers.  
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Saturday, December 15, the Palm Dairies.  
Monday, December 17, the Home Oil Company.  
Tuesday, December 18, the Hudson's Bay Company.  
Wednesday, December 19, the B.C. Electric Company.  
Thursday, December 20, Mallet's.  
Friday, December 21, the British America Paint Company.

## HAROLD MOYNES OF LONDON DIES

Canadian Press  
London, Dec. 10.—The curse of Tutankhamen, whose royal tomb was discovered by Lord Carnarvon and Howard Carter in Egypt in 1922, had claimed another victim, the British journalist, Harold Moynes, The London Daily Express reported to-day.

Following Lord Carnarvon's sudden death in 1923, King Tutankhamen's curse was blamed for the deaths of seven others, who had helped Howard Carter in the exploration of the tomb.

Howard Carter, who accompanied Carter in his capacity of journalist, was the fourth member of the expedition to die this year.

Harold Moynes was now the lone survivor of the eight persons who discovered the tomb.

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## Vancouver To Vote Wednesday

Returning Officer Has 52,000 Ballots Printed For Mayoralty Contest

Canadian Press  
Vancouver, Dec. 10.—Forty-seven deputy returning officers and 367 pool clerks have been appointed to handle Vancouver's civic election next Wednesday. Returning Officer Charles Jones has had 52,000 ballots printed for the mayoralty contest. The voters' list includes 79,397 persons, but the highest poll ever cast in a mayoralty election was 40,365 in 1930, when the vote was divided 23,797 for Mayor L. D. Taylor and 17,568 for W. H. Malkin, then in office.

In addition to the election, ratepayers will be given an opportunity to vote on a \$600,000 bylaw for a city hall on the Central School grounds and to provide school accommodation at other schools for pupils now attending the Central School.

A second money bylaw will ask for transfer of \$20,000 old bylaw balances to construct a bathing pool in Burrard Inlet at the foot of Windermere Street.

## A. GILCHRIST DIES IN GUELPH

Canadian Press  
Guelph, Ont., Dec. 10.—One of Ontario's most prominent horticulturists, Archibald Gilchrist, died here during the week-end. Mr. Gilchrist, ninety-one years of age, was connected with the floral business in Ontario for more than half a century and was considered one of the Dominion's outstanding nurserymen.

## MUCH BUILDING URGED IN U.S.

Rev. C. E. Coughlin Suggests Programme; Replies to Cardinal O'Connell

Associated Press  
Detroit, Dec. 10.—Rev. Father Charles E. Coughlin yesterday proposed, as a method of ending depression in the United States, a \$10,000,000 permanent government programme of road building, reforestation, power development, land reclamation and slum elimination to be financed with new Congress-created currency "independent of any banker."

"I would enter on this public works programme," he said, "with our own United States money, which Congress and Congress alone has the power to issue and to regulate according to our constitution, and independent of any banker."

Such a programme, he said, "would mean the permanent end of depression; the permanent end of production for bankers' profits."

He charged founders of the American Liberty League "forget every other provision of the constitution to concentrate on the rights of ownership and use of property."

REPLIES TO INTERVIEW  
He also replied to an interview given last week by William Cardinal O'Connell of Boston, who, Father Coughlin said, "publicly attacked me for the third time in as many years."

He declared Cardinal O'Connell "has no authority to speak for the Catholic Church of America" and that he has been "more notorious for his silence on social justice than for any contribution which he may have given towards the decentralization of wealth and towards the elimination of those glaring injustices which permitted the plutocrats to wax fat at the expense of the poor."

DEC. 26 HOLIDAY FOR MANITOBIANS  
Canadian Press  
Winnipeg, Dec. 10.—Observance of Boxing Day, just an old English custom, has spread to Manitoba. Under a proclamation of Lieut.-Gov. W. J. Tupper, December 26 will be a statutory holiday for the first time in Manitoba's history.

Stratford, Ont., Dec. 10.—The observance of observing a holiday Wednesday, December 26, the day following Christmas, will be considered by the Stratford Retail Merchants' Association at a special meeting early this week. A partial suspension of the merchants of the city has shown many of them favor a holiday.

Toronto, Dec. 10.—Ontario will not likely follow the action of Manitoba in proclaiming December 26, Boxing Day, as a public holiday, it was believed at the legislative buildings here to-day.

Hon. H. C. Nixon, acting premier, knew of no agitation in the province for following the old English custom and naming the day after Christmas as a holiday.

Hon. W. D. Herridge  
On Visit to Ottawa  
Ottawa, Dec. 10.—Hon. D. D. Herridge, Canadian minister to the United States, came to Ottawa and remained over the week-end, but it could not be learned whether his visit indicated any renewed activity in reciprocal trade movements or the St. Lawrence treaty. Mr. Herridge declined comment on any official matters.

It is generally believed here any hope that may have existed a month ago for a trade treaty with United States has suffered a setback which places it out of the picture for some time to come.

## Thugs Active In Vancouver Fog

Nine Armed Holdups Over Week-end; Drug Store and Service Station Robbed

Vancouver, Dec. 10.—With a thick fog, which blanketed the city over the week-end, to hide their movements, bandits staged nine armed holdups which netted them almost \$150 in cash. Two men were arrested when they were caught leaving an office building with loot. Two men entered the Pacific Drug Store in the 100 block of Granville Street and ordered G. McIntosh, clerk, to the rear of the premises. When McIntosh refused to obey, one of the bandits drew a revolver and hit the clerk about the head and face with the butt end of the weapon, knocking him unconscious. They looted the cash register of \$41 in cash and fled.

While walking along Davie Street, Tom Yen Duck, Chinese, was attacked by two men who came from behind him in the fog and hit him several times over the head with what he believes was a gun. While one held him, the other went through his pockets and took \$18 in cash and some personal effects. With the threat that they would shoot him in his tracks if he moved, two men, one of them armed with a revolver, held up Chin Hing, Chinese vegetable peddler while he was making his delivery rounds and robbed him of \$20.

## Nonagenarian Dies At Fort St. John

Canadian Press  
Fort St. John, B.C., Dec. 10.—A United States civil war veteran who served throughout the entire campaign and afterward was present at the funeral of Abraham Lincoln, ninety-two-year-old Henry Calvert Banghart, is dead here.

He was born at Cleveland, Ohio, on January 14, 1842, enlisted in the northern army with the 52nd Ohio Volunteers. At the close of the war he took a homestead in Nebraska, remaining there until 1907, when he trekked north and took a homestead near Waskatenau, Alberta. In 1929 he moved to the Peace River country and was in the Peace River country for a month ago.

He was an official of the Grand Army of the Republic. He leaves one daughter, two grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

## Galapagos Dweller Returns to Germany

Associated Press  
Los Angeles, Dec. 10.—Her Garden of Eden life on the loneliest inhabited island in the world shattered by the death of her companion after six years in the Galapagos archipelago, Frau Dore Strauch Koerwin is going back to her home in Germany, according to word from the old convict island of Charles.

This news was sent from the Smithsonian Institution scientific party at the islands headed by Captain G. Allan Hancock of Los Angeles patron of science.

## L. W. Wynne-Roberts Of Toronto Dies

Canadian Press  
Toronto, Dec. 10.—L. W. Wynne-Roberts, widely known civil engineer, died Saturday at his home here in his forty-third year.

During the Great War, he served with the Royal Engineers in India, Mesopotamia and Persia.

## COOL AT RANGOON

Rangoon, Burma, Dec. 10 (Canadian Press).—Fires were lighted in the streets to-day to warm the poor of the city, this region having experienced the coldest weather on record. The temperature seldom rose above 59 degrees during last week. Rangoon usually enjoys tropical temperatures.

## HONOR FOR ROWELL

Toronto, Dec. 10 (Canadian Press).—Hon. Newton W. Rowell, K.C., has received the highest gift the senate of Victoria University can bestow. He was elected vice-chancellor of the university. Mr. Rowell, who was chairman of the board of regents of the university from 1928 to 1933, succeeds the late Mr. Justice J. J. McLaren.

## DEATH MOURNED THROUGHOUT RUSSIA



Following the great state funeral of the late Sergei M. Kiroff (above), many people from other parts of Russia have visited the Tomb at the Kremlin Wall in Moscow where the ashes were placed last Thursday. Kiroff, a member of the political bureau of the Communist Party and described as one of the five most powerful men in Russia, was assassinated in Leningrad.

## ARSENAL MAN FACES CHARGE

Employee at Woolwich Accused Under British Official Secrets Act

Canadian Press and Associated Press  
London, Dec. 10.—The famous Official Secrets Act figures in a charge of Scotland Yard against William Burgess, an employee at the Royal Arsenal at Woolwich. Burgess was accused in Bow Street Court Saturday of obtaining information, sketches and documents which might be useful to an enemy, and communicating them to another person.

One of the charges was related to information, documentary and otherwise, "used with a prohibited plan which he had obtained or to which he had access owing to his position."

There was no indication for whose benefit Burgess was supposed to have been working, but he was committed to jail for a week without bail.

## WAR ON SPARROWS

Berlin, Dec. 10 (Canadian Press from Havas).—Sparrows had better spend their Christmas elsewhere than in Pomerania. Due to the ravages caused to agriculture by the birds, which in one region have ordered each family to deliver to them a minimum of at least ten sparrows heads on pay a fine of 50 pennings. A premium of 1 pfennig per sparrow head will be paid from December 11 on.

## YOUTH ENDS LIFE

Tulsa, Okla., Dec. 10.—Nineteen-year-old Sidney Born Jr., who admitted, police said, he drove Phil Kennamer to his fatal rendezvous with John Gorrell Thanksgiving night, died yesterday evening from a bullet which officers declared was self-inflicted. He was found in his motor car shot through the head near the spot in exclusive Forest Hills where Gorrell, a twenty-three-year-old dental student, was killed.

## GRAIN STRIKE WEAKENED

Edmonton, Dec. 10 (Canadian Press).—Central Alberta's grain strike lost three points over the week-end, as farmers at Barry Hill and Kinsland voted to end it and those at Manville turned thumbs down on efforts to bring it into being there. The strike still holds sway in five towns, compared with the twenty-five of three weeks ago.

## CAR WRECKED IN LOS ANGELES TRAM STRIKE



Violence dealt a severe blow at efforts for peace in the Los Angeles trolley strike when fifty strike sympathizers halted a street car at a busy intersection, ordered the crew and passengers out, and then with a mighty heave hurled the car over on its side. The wrecking crew, as shown here, worked with a derrick for several hours clearing the crossing, as thousands stood by. In numerous clashes, many were arrested, more than a score injured, and one car bombed.

## New Invention For Newspapers

Automatic Typesetting Directly From Copy Is Demonstrated

Associated Press  
Charlotte, N.C., Dec. 10.—Automatic typesetting directly from copy received on teletype machines such as are used by the principal press associations, was demonstrated Saturday before a group of publishers and printing executives. The demonstration was arranged by Curtis B. Johnson, publisher of The Charlotte Observer, who has sponsored the invention of the semigraph, a device which dispenses with the services of an operator in the functioning of a linotype machine, and allied inventions which make it possible for newspaper copy to be reproduced in type without manual labor.

## PRIEST TO WAR ON LIBERTY MEN

Washington, Dec. 10.—Father Coughlin, black vest, priestly collar, chubby, healthy face, rimpler spectacles, has appeared here again. Bands in pockets, he walks rapidly back and forth across his hotel parlor as he declares war on the American Liberty League. Priest's hat and pack of cigarettes lie on a glass-top table and all the New York and Washington newspapers on aavenport.

## WAR PREDICTION MADE BY STALIN

Associated Press  
New York, Dec. 10.—Prediction "bourgeois pacifism" is coming to an end and capitalist countries are preparing for an "imperialist war" is made by Joseph Stalin, secretary-general of the Communist Party of Russia in the December issue of International Conciliation, published by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

Stalin's prediction of war was made in a report of the work of the central committee of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union up to this year, and reprinted by the Carnegie Institution.

## Mother of Accused Man Passes Away

Associated Press  
Palo Alto, Calif., Dec. 10.—Mrs. A. B. Lamson, seventy-four, mother of David Lamson, former Stanford University Press executive who is awaiting retrial on charges of having murdered his wife, died in a hospital here yesterday from injuries suffered in an automobile accident several days ago.

## Cuban Ambassador To the U.S. Dies

Washington, Dec. 10.—Dr. Manuel Marqués Sterling, sixty-two, Cuban Ambassador to the United States, died yesterday.

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## RHODES SCHOLARS NAMED IN ONTARIO

Toronto, Dec. 10.—John William Maglader, twenty-three-year-old son of Thomas Maglader, Deputy Minister of Immigration at Ottawa, has been chosen as one of the two Rhodes scholars from Ontario for 1935. It was announced here to-day by the selection committee.

The other choice, who like Maglader, thus wins three years at Oxford, is Arnold Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor A. Smith of Toronto. Smith, who is only nineteen years old, is one of the youngest Rhodes scholars ever chosen in Canada.

## NEW BRUNSWICK DEATH

Moncton, N.B., Dec. 10.—William Murray, seventy-three, one of the old-established retail merchants of Moncton, died yesterday.



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T-bone Steaks, lb. .... 15¢  
1 lb. YOUNG PORK LIVER 18¢  
1/2 lb. AYRSHIRE BACON—Both for..... 35¢  
Money's Fresh Mushrooms, lb. .... 35¢

HONEY BEEST BRAND—New Season's 30¢ 4-lb. 59¢  
WALNUT PIECES..... 1 lb. 13¢ 1 lb. 25¢  
QUAKER PEACHES, 2s. .... 17¢ 3 tins 50¢  
IVORY SOAP FLAKES..... 2 pkgs. 15¢

CHOICE BLACK FIGS 3 lbs. 25¢ CHOICE DRIED PEACHES 1b. 17¢

BALSAM TOILET TISSUE, 3 large rolls 25¢  
BULK MACARONI... 2 lbs. 12¢; 4 lbs. 23¢  
BLUEBERRIES, fresh pack, 2s. .... 2 tins 25¢  
MELEGRAN OATS, pkg. .... 10¢

**LIBBY'S FINE FOODS**  
TOMATO SOUP..... 2 tins 15¢  
TOMATO CATCHUP, 12-oz. 15¢  
KRAUT, large tin ..... 14¢  
PREPARED MUSTARD ..... 10¢  
Pork and Beans 16-oz. .... 4 tins 25¢  
28-oz. tin ..... 10¢  
TOMATO JUICE Small 5¢ Large 8¢ Extra Large 14¢

Pure Olive Oil 4-oz. glass ..... 15¢  
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Smyrna Fancy Table Figs, lb. 18¢ 2 lbs. 35¢  
Fancy Whole Green Beans AYLMER or ROYAL CITY, 2s. .... 15¢  
Shinola Wax—1-lb. tin. .... 18¢ 2 tins 35¢  
Fancy Bleached Sultanas—lb. 15¢ 2 lbs. 29¢  
SUGAR 16-lb. Cotton Sack 65¢ 30-lb. Cotton Sack \$1.25  
Chase & Sanborn's Coffee, 1-lb. tin. .... 39¢  
Cloverleaf Pink Salmon, 1s tall. .... 12¢  
Old Dutch Cleanser..... 3 tins 25¢

APPLES—McIntosh Reds.... 6 lbs. 25¢  
JAP ORANGES, box..... 69¢  
ORANGES Medium Size 29¢  
Large Size 35¢ Extra Large Size 40¢  
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GRAPEFRUIT, large size, 4 for 19¢ CRANBERRIES, lb. .... 26¢  
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EGGS GRADE A LARGE Carbons—doz. .... 30¢  
GRADE A FULLETS 24¢ GRADE A MEDIUM 26¢  
Loose—doz. .... 24¢

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## GOOD TIMES AHEAD

### SOME TIME AGO, A WELL-KNOWN

British economist, Mr. L. B. Angus, reputed to be uncannily accurate in economic predictions, wrote a brochure on "The Coming American Boom." In a special dispatch to a number of newspapers, Mr. B. C. Forbes, a prolific writer on financial subjects and proprietor and editor of "Forbes Magazine," says North America is now swinging into the greatest peacetime spending jamboree in all history. Also, last Friday, Mr. Roger Babson, an equally well-known expert on economic questions, told a group of business men and government executives at Washington that the clouds of depression had definitely broken, and that no man, "not even President Roosevelt," can stop the tide of returning prosperity.

Mr. Forbes contends we are on the eve of tremendous expansion that will:

- (1) Absorb a large part of the 10,000,000 unemployed.
- (2) Loosen cheap credit in abundance and put billions into circulation.
- (3) Apply the present public psychology of "do" and erase the "don'ts."

The big boom that is coming, Mr. Forbes says, will dwarf all previous expansions, and will last for the next five to six years. After that time, and possibly also during it, the capital system will make fundamental changes in itself. It will introduce essential measures of government and business co-ordination which will amount to "state-ism." This will be the new era of a modified capitalism, and "will be the harnessing of distributive forces to keep pace with the age of abundance in scientific and technological production."

Mr. Forbes has reached the above conclusion as a result of his study of "amazing prophecies" of careful men who fully understand major trends. He says that forty billion dollars is the colossal sum of pent-up needs for durable and capital goods in the United States alone. This enormous gap, he argues, must be filled, while at the same time the current expansion and expenditure needs must be met. We quote Mr. Forbes further:

Never was a nation so ideally circumstanced for registering impressive progress.  
A compilation reveals pent-up needs for durable and capital goods totaling fully \$40,000,000,000.  
The wreckage caused by the financial panic of 1929 and the long-drawn-out subsequent business depression has been largely cleared away.  
Billions of debts have been adjusted.  
Weak businesses and institutions have been weeded out.  
More, no nation can match our resources.  
We have a gold stock of \$8,000,000,000.  
We have a savings deposits of \$21,500,000,000.  
We have perhaps 20,000,000 security owners.  
We have agricultural lands unexcelled in extent and productivity.  
We have more and better equipped factories than any other country. We lead the world in production and utilization of electric power. We excel in the science of management. Our workers are the most alert, intelligent and ambitious in the world.  
The American nation of 1934 is in many respects a sounder nation than in 1929. We have developed more balance, more sanity, more solidity. We have descended from the clouds to bedrock.

As Mr. Forbes very properly reminds the public with whom he daily discusses financial matters through the columns of the newspapers, the Great War was a great spending spree, a great inflation, but it was for destruction. In 1921, the world staggered to its feet again with:

- (1) Millions of dead.
- (2) Billions of debts.
- (3) Communications broken.
- (4) Trade disrupted.
- (5) Currencies disorganized.
- (6) Famines inflamed.
- (7) Revolution, starvation and anarchy rampant.

However, by 1924, Mr. Forbes recalls, the world was heading toward the greatest boom it ever had. He goes on: "The World War shot away the world's stored up energy. Yet the capital system held intact. It made certain changes as it cleared up the debris, but it did not make enough. It did not cut its debris sufficiently. It did not simplify distribution. Then came the next boom, a boom of production and speculation. The third boom will be a boom of distribution. It will be a boom of new industrial activities, coupled with the catching-up of repair and modernization which has been held up by the depression."

All these predictions of a new and sounder revival of business in North America are of very definite interest to Canada. There are on the south of us about 130,000,000 people, a country of vast wealth, now content to leave the conduct of their business with an administration which has startled the world with its progressive policies. So, as the United States recover, economically, of which the Forbes-Babson school seems positive, so will the reaction be favorable in Canada.

## FINANCE, FAITH—AND A SYMBOL

THE ACQUITTAL OF SAMUEL INSULL may provoke the cynical to new remarks about the difficulty of finding a million dollars guilty of anything; but its chief importance is its warning that the blame for the disasters of recent years can not be laid at the doors of individuals.

After all, Mr. Insull was a symbol—both before the crash in the fall of 1929, and after it—for when something unpleasant happened, heavy guns immediately were trained on this symbol. But the real

trouble all along, of course, was not with the symbol, but with the general public's reaction to it.  
When all was serene in the financial market, Mr. Insull was firmly established, or so it seemed, on a throne if there had been any real opposition to the position he was occupying. He was regarded as one of the great men of our time—the young emigrant from Great Britain who had made a name and a great fortune for himself in the New World. Everything he said was listened to attentively; he was one of the world's financial oracles, not because he was sitting on the "golden throne." He was the symbol which radiated awe among that vast multitude which is wont to worship money instead of the more lasting things of life.

Naturally enough, when the bottom fell out of everything, ideas underwent a drastic change. From an idol sitting on a "golden throne" Mr. Insull was promptly demoted—and blamed for everything. All those who lost money in the organizations for which he was financially responsible thought the proper place for him was behind the bars—in jail. Says one United States commentator and publicist:

"Now it should have been apparent that the obvious remedy was nothing of the kind. These unlucky investors were victimized, not by any one man, but by a combination of forces; by themselves, first of all, and by the temper of the time, secondarily.  
"How was this victimization made possible? Chiefly by the fact that we suspended our critical judgment in favor of a great desire to have all our problems solved by the power of finance.  
"Many things were out of joint. The life was being ground out of agriculture, labor was getting less than its share of things, the development of mass production and superfluity was piling up stupendous problems which we had not tried to solve. But we were eager to forget all about those things—we simply refused to be bothered by them—in the hope that by piling stocks and bonds up high enough we could be floated over into a New Era without effort of our own."

"Well—it did not work. We should have known that it would not work, but we never let ourselves ask questions. We have been sitting amid the wreckage for several years now, and our remedy is not to put this or that man in jail, but to change the psychological background against which these men operated. Insull's acquittal ought to be a timely reminder of this."

## WHOLESALE TRADE

THE WHOLESALE TRADE OF CANADA is carried on preponderantly by corporations. Individuals do less than ten per cent of the wholesale business of the Dominion and partnerships less than four per cent. Corporations, on the other hand, perform nearly eighty per cent of these transactions, while a little over seven per cent is in the hands of co-operatives.

These characteristics of wholesale trade in Canada emerge in a study based on the last Dominion census (1931), and just issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Net sales at wholesale for the year 1930—amounted to \$3,325,210,300. Of this total \$2,644,263,600 or 79.52 per cent were made by corporations; \$316,586,600, or 9.52 per cent by individuals; \$238,309,900, or 7.17 per cent by co-operatives; and \$126,050,200, or 3.79 per cent by partnerships.

Of the total net sales of the wholesale trade of Canada in 1930, credit was given on 83.57 per cent. The census study classifies the trade into twenty-six groups, and of these the highest credit percentage is found in metals and metal works at 98.76. Second position in this regard is held by plumbing and heating equipment and supplies at 97.98 per cent; with coal and coke third at 96.42 per cent. The lowest credit percentage is given for farm products (not elsewhere specified) at 54.20; farm supplies (except machinery and equipment) being second at 63.55; petroleum and petroleum products being third lowest at 65.41 per cent. A little over eleven per cent of the sales or \$374,979,700 are reported as being made to industrial consumers; a footnote, however, explains that these figures may not be complete as some firms keep no record of such transactions.

The capital invested in the wholesale trade of Canada in 1930 is given in the census return as \$759,439,500. The capital figures include the value of stocks on hand (\$297,221,100). The largest capital invested in any one group of the trade, as classified in the census study, is \$131,770,800 in petroleum and petroleum products. Second position in this regard is held by machinery, equipment and supplies (except electrical) at \$88,563,000, and third place by groceries and food specialties at \$87,064,400. The total number of wholesale establishments in Canada in 1930 is given as 13,140 and the number of employees as 90,564.

The wholesale trade of Canada is divided for census purposes into "wholesale proper" and "other wholesalers." In 1930 the former made sales amounting to \$1,111,319,200, and the latter, \$2,213,891,100. The former carry on regular wholesale business, including the warehousing of goods, extension of credit and delivery services; the latter direct their efforts chiefly to the arrangement of sales or soliciting of orders, but include such branches of business as bulk tank stations and co-operative marketing associations.

## WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

NOT ALL ONE-SIDED  
The Toronto Globe

Canada must remain closely interested in the development of the Motherland's home-production policies and their effect on agricultural import demand. Increased purchases of British manufactured goods will continue to be the most helpful factor in the establishment of stable markets and the promotion of the two-way trading that eases so many economic burdens on both sides of the Atlantic.

SAVE THE AMERICAN ELM  
The Philadelphia Inquirer

One of the noblest trees in the country, the American elm, appears to be doomed unless speedy rescue is at hand. Not so long ago the chestnut was all but obliterated by a mysterious blight, though here and there it is beginning to grow again. The malady which has attacked the elm is known as the Dutch elm disease, and its ravages are fatal. The fight against it should begin at once. The American Forestry Association points out that unless additional funds are promptly provided to continue the work during the winter the disease will be out of control by next summer. The incipient stages were not attacked in time. A million dollars in all should suffice to save the elm now.

## Loose Ends

Some Canadians whom you probably don't know—A saint who is becoming a trifle too common these days—And a little man with an idea.

By H. B. W.

## CASTES

THE OTHER MORNING I happened to witness at first hand one of the signs and portents of that mysterious revolution through which we are passing these days. I sat in on the conference between the Provincial Government and a large delegation from the unemployed. One felt it was a humiliating experience and probably the government felt the same way about it; humiliating, I mean, to realize that a million Canadians are living under the conditions which the delegation described: living at the rate of \$25 a month for 4 man and wife with \$3.50 for a child, or maybe less, because it is the habit of some municipalities to chisel the government scale down.

It was a sign and a portent, this conference, for it presented to you in a striking fashion the complete breakdown of that fiction of equality and classlessness which we try so vainly to maintain in this country. The unemployed, a million of them, a tenth of the population, are being inevitably molded into a separate class, a lower unit, a distinct caste.

How could it be otherwise when they are compelled to adopt a sub-standard of life entirely different from that prevailing among their fellows? No one talking about equality before the law and before the ballot box when a decent Canadian housewife asks you, as one asked the Government, how she and her man could live on \$15 a month in Victoria.

You could feel the isolation of these people as if they were a foreign race living within our boundaries and that, in fact, tends more and more to become the official attitude towards them. When you and I cannot imagine how these people manage to exist at all, it is likely that fellows living in the Chateau Laurier at Ottawa can have any real idea of it. In the Chateau Laurier the unemployed are a problem, an abstraction, a row of figures, an item in the budget of the sinking funds and the interest charges, the chief difference being that the sinking funds and the interest charges cost much more.

Of the million Canadians who constitute this sub-stratum of society a large proportion will be rendered permanently incapable of working; and have lost the capacity and the will to work, because we haven't had the sense to provide for them since 1929. And the crop of trouble we are sowing for the next generation in the form of undernourished children will be reaped in due time.

A few more years of this sort of thing and we shall not have to go outside of Canada to find a caste of Untouchables. And if you are not interested in the human question, remember that Untouchables have no purchasing power, are a dead weight on the economic system. So long as a million of them are living on the present scale, it isn't likely that you'll be very prosperous either.

## SAINT

ONE OF THE interesting products of this age of machinery and mass production is the extraordinary increase in the tribe of Santa Claus. When we were young, we might occasionally see Santa Claus at a Sunday school Christmas tree, but it was a rare privilege which made us almost sick with excitement. But your modern child in a large city sees the old geman on almost every street corner, at every Christmas party and in every toy shop, until the harassed parent, endeavoring to explain this peculiar power of ubiquity, invents the fiction that Santa has many brothers all with a close family resemblance.

The children are not always deluded and they are not always friendly to Santa and his brothers. The little boy from next door, for example, tells me that he doesn't like the gentleman because his beard is "too fat" and he always retreats in terror at his approach and clings to his mother's skirts. The time may come, after Santa has been made too familiar, when he will lose the respect of his supporters altogether. That is a risk that a public man always takes when he descends from the safe realm of myth and imagination and walks in the market places, trying to sell something.

But where do these Santa Claus men come from at Christmas time? It is intriguing if a little melancholy to speculate on the manner of life during the rest of the year. Do they go and hibernate somewhere and then blossom out in December like a butterfly in May? Are they immortal? Or do they require food and drink and warmth like other people? Do they work for a living, and if so, at what? Are they all kindly old gentlemen with red noses who love little children and spend their time doing good deeds for the poor? Or when their whiskers and red hats are stripped from their heads, do they go home like other men and beat their wives and grumble at the depression?

Once, several years ago, I stood watching a Santa Claus as he jollied the children, giving them each a kiss and telling them he would appear at Christmas (an obvious untruth as you realized when you saw the evident poverty of some of the youngsters). I wondered to myself what mental processes were going on behind that vast expanse of beard, whether a human form, full of ordinary instincts, lay under that mighty stuffing of pillows and red velvet. What great qualities of mind and spirit qualified a man to walk about the streets as the most lovable of all saints? A fellow who knew Santa Claus told me later that the old gentleman had been on unemployment relief most of the year and before that had worked in a brewery. That rather spoiled the day for me.

Several thousand fellows have hit on it before you, but to the world at large it is still a black mystery. Go home and pray, but don't talk on the streets lest you be seized and confined to prison or stoned in the market place. "You are a very dangerous man."



## Bargain Highway SPECIALS TUESDAY

WOMEN'S AFTERNOON DRESSES of fine grade silk. An assortment of smart styles. Shades of wine, brown, green, navy and black. Sizes 14 to 20. \$2.95

WOMEN'S FELT HATS in a great many new styles. In shades of wine, green, brown, navy and black. Special. \$1.00

WOMEN'S ALL-WOOL SWEATERS in jersey weaves. Real smart sweaters, in brown, grey, navy and black. Sizes 34 to 42. \$1.89

WOMEN'S HOSIERY—Of silk and lisle, with reinforced toes and heels. All desirable shades. Sizes 8½ to 10. Pair. 29c

RAYON VESTS AND BLOOMERS—Shades of tea rose, peach and white. All sizes. Garment. 39c

WOMEN'S FLANNELETTE GOWNS—Winter weight—medium and large. 79c

## THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By ALINE MICHAELIS

### SEED AND FLOWER

I can look back and see  
How life has molded me  
Into the form I wear;  
New I discern at last  
Each season of the past  
That wrought this soul, this fair.

Here was the year that made  
My spirit unafraid;  
This hour of ecstasy,  
This time of leaping light,  
Dialing truth and right,  
Set me from bondage free!

I can look back to-night,  
And see the years aghast  
When I, rebellious, went  
Not dreaming from that seed  
Of stark desire and need  
Would spring this flower, content!

## Twenty-five Years Ago To-day

THE VICTORIA DAILY TIMES  
December 10, 1909

(From The Times File)

Early in January next the B.C. Electric Railway Company will proceed with the work of double tracking Douglas Street between Pembroke Street and Hillside Avenue.

Hon. J. A. Macdonald, chief justice of the Court of Appeal, has purchased the residence of W. F. Burton on St. Charles Street.

T. M. Brayshaw, the local carriage builder and wheelwright, has just delivered to the fire department a fine new horse wagon, built under the supervision of Chief Davis. It carries 1,500 feet of hose.

Frank Bayless, the local five-mile runner, who while an amateur, made all runners in this province meet defeat at his distance, looks as though he will do the same in the professional ranks at five miles.

Trains will, commencing to-morrow morning, run right through to Nanaimo and Wellington on the E. and N. Railway, the break in the line near Ladysmith having been repaired.

## Other People's Views

### WARNING!

The Times urges its correspondents to restrict their contributions to 500 words. It positively will not print lengthy communications.

These letters must be plainly written on one side of the paper only, and must be accompanied by the names and addresses of the writers, not necessarily for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

Letters will not be re-written for publication. If they are not legible no attempt will be made to read them.  
Letters not used will not be returned to the writers.  
Letters containing offensive personal reflections will not be printed.  
These rules, which henceforth will be carried out absolutely, are designed as much for the protection of our patient readers as for that of The Times.

### TARZAN AND BERNARD SHAW

To the Editor:—One of your correspondents has asked: "Why all this fuss about Bernard Shaw?" The answer is simple. Bernard Shaw is a savage.

Any man can be civilized. All one has to do is to work like everyone else, live like everyone else and think like everyone else—or, preferably, not think at all. A civilization, whether primitive or modern, means a definite economic system with a definite superstructure of religious superstitions, ethical codes and what not. When people believe their economic system to be not merely right, but the only system, their way of living (no matter how ridiculous) to be the only way, their piece of hunting "the" flag and their god the one true God then they are civilized. They "belong" to "a civilization." Now civilized people are all right only when they are such utter bores—especially when they are living in an age when their tin-pot civilization is falling to pieces and they cannot see it.

Most of us are forced to belong to "our" civilization. A hundred petty circumstances repress us into the common rut. No wonder we make a fuss of a savage like Bernard Shaw. He, at least, has the courage to live his own life and think for himself.



## Meats, Provisions, Delicatessen

### TUESDAY VALUES—CASH AND CARRY

#### MEATS—As Cut in Case

Steaks	lb.	Roasts	lb.	Pork Liver	lb.
Shoulder	7¢	Blade	6¢	Spare Ribs	11¢
Round	11¢	Cross Rib	8¢	Pork Chops	19¢
T-bone	15¢	Sirloin Tip	11¢	Boiling Beef	5¢
Sirloin	15¢	Rolled Rib	11¢	Chopped	
Pork	13¢	Pork	13¢-10¢	Suet	10¢
Veal	11¢	Butt	12¢-7¢	Mutton	
Oxford Sausage, Minced Steak, Stew Beef	2 lbs.			Chops	13¢

Eggs, Grade "A" Domestic Short-Pullets, 22c  
Pure Lard, 2 lbs. 21c  
doz. 9½c

### Spencer's Dependable First-grade Butter

Not Packaged for an Indefinite Time—Sold Fresh

Springfield Brand, lb. 23¢; 3 lbs. for. 67¢  
Pride Brand, lb. 23¢; 3 lbs. for. 67¢  
Sliced Unsmoked Bacon, lb. 25¢; Back Bacon, lb. 38¢  
Pride Mince-meat, lb. 13¢; Libby's Kraft, 2 lbs. 15¢  
Pride Liver, Blood Sausage, lb. 20¢; Wieners, lb. 22¢

### SERVICE MEATS, DELIVERED

Little Pig Sausage	Pickled	Chopped Suet
Per lb.	Ox Tongues, lb.	Per lb.
15c	17c	12c
Steaks, Round, lb. 14¢; T-bone and Sirloin, lb. 18¢		
Rib Lamb Chops, lb. 19¢; Beef Liver, lb. 12¢		

## EXTRA VALUES GROCERIA CASH AND CARRY

California Dark Sultanias, per lb.	10¢
Holbrook's Malt Vinegar, 26-oz. bottle	22¢
South African Evaporated Apricots, 2-lb. bag	25¢
Bird's Blanc Mange Powder, assorted flavors, pkt.	15¢
Libby's Tomato Juice, 14½ oz., 2 tins for	15¢
Aylmer Tomatoes, 2s, squat, per tin	8¢
Swansdown Cake Flour, per pkt.	32¢
Crosse & Blackwell's Chicken Soup, 2 tins for	17¢
Crosse & Blackwell's Chutney Pickle, 12 oz. bottle	23¢
Pride of Ontario Honey, 2½ lbs, per tin (limit 2)	29¢
I.B.C. Graham Wafers, per pkt.	15¢
Crown Olive Toilet Soap, 3 tablets for	10¢
Imported French Beans, per tin	15¢
Van Houten's Cocoa, Red Label, ½ lb, per tin	15¢
Lima Beans, 3-lb. bag	25¢
Bestall Ripe Peas, 2s, squat, 2 tins for	15¢
Maxwell House Coffee, per lb.	39¢
Green Giant Peas, 17 oz., per tin	14¢
Del Maiz Corn Niblets, 2 tins for	25¢
Jutland Sardines, 2 tins for	11¢

MALT SPECIAL  
1 tin Spencer's Malt, 2½ lbs. .... All for  
1 pkt. Gelatine .....  
1 large pkt. Hops ..... \$1.35  
3 lbs. Imported Demarara Sugar .....

## CANDY SPECIALS

Christmas Mixed, ½ lb., for	10¢
Jelly Beans, ½ lb.	10¢
English Assorted Toffees, ½ lb.	14¢
Autumn Mixture, ½ lb., for	15¢
Chocolate Bridge Mixture, ½ lb.	15¢
Chocolate Dates, ½ lb., for	19¢

He is not bamboozled by "our" civilization. Tarzan of the Apes is also a savage. He, so we are told, is a physical giant. Shaw is a mental giant. Millions envy Tarzan. Millions make a fuss over Shaw. Both are such glorious savages, and the world is so full of civilized bores.

WILLIAM J. FEARS,  
1410 Harrison Street, December 8.

### DEFAULTING

To the Editor:—A few years ago I saw in a show house views of the ruins of many great cities, in Persia, parts of Turkey and other old eastern countries, that amazed me. I have thought of those places since and of that civilization, the destruction of which was caused by war.

Well, it does not require the imagination of a Jules Verne to picture what many of our great cities to-day will look like in less than half a century from now, if the vicious practice of taxing and confiscating the people's property continues. Many of them will be in utter ruin and

the people camping out in shacks and hovels in their surrounding districts.

There has been lack of foresight and administrative ability by some of our present-day councillors, who fail to see where they are heading for. Some of them are good at figures, telling us what we owe and do not owe, and many after dinner speeches; but to lead the people out of their plight to-day they are useless. They get into those positions and then try to please everybody, and please nobody in the end.

What would you think of a railway company that kept on selling the engines and rolling stock to pay dividends? Or the case of a person who loaned a large sum on a ranch and then went miles away but returned in a few years, after getting the interest regularly, and found all the out-buildings gone, and the occupant said, "I pulled part of them down each year and sold them to pay you your interest." That is just what is taking place in some of our cities.

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## LUTHERAN HAS ANNIVERSARY

Congregational Banquet and Special Services Mark Grave Church Celebration

The twenty-fifth anniversary of Grace English Lutheran Church was celebrated this week-end with a congregational banquet on Saturday and special services yesterday, with two guest preachers in attendance during the morning and evening worship.

Pioneers of the church were honored at the Saturday gathering, which was also attended by visiting ministers, who extended greetings. Rev. T. A. Jansen, the pastor, was the chairman.

Greetings from the Ministerial Association were tendered by Rev. Dr. E. A. Henry, president. Dr. Henry spoke well of the work carried on by Grace Lutheran during its first twenty-five years, and hoped it would continue to prosper in successive years.

Congratulations from Central Lutheran Church, Seattle, were brought by Rev. Carl J. Olson, who was the visiting preacher at the morning service yesterday, and led the celebration service yesterday evening. Rev. Dr. J. K. Unsworth, who addressed the congregation at the morning worship, also extended best wishes during a short talk at the banquet.

Six members of the original congregation of the church were introduced as its pioneers, while three more were included as being among its greatest friends. They were Mr. and Mrs. L. Neilson, Mr. and Mrs. John Droop, Mrs. J. Westcott and Mrs. K. M. Miller, and Mr. and Mrs. P. McLean and Alfred Neilson.

The evening was brought to a close with a delightful musical programme presented by Miss Christine Schmeiss and Ernest Anderson, vocal soloists; Miss Eileen Wilson, violinist; Miss Albertine Miller, Miss Amy Anderson and Miss Lovisa Jansen, pianists, and Luther Jansen, organist.

## TRADE INDEX UP IN WEEK

Rise in Bond Prices Is Factor Causing Betterment in Economic Position

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—The economic index of the Dominion Government, published today, showed a gain in the week ended December 1, the standing being 95.3 compared with 94.7 in the preceding week.

The main influence, states the review, in raising the index was the further increase in high-grade bond prices to a new high point since 1911. The bid quotation for the 1943 5 per cent Dominion Government refunding bond was as high as 112, and the 1944 4 1/2 per cent bond reached 108 1/2.

The index of 113 common stocks was 93.3 compared with 92.1 in the week ended November 22. The index of twenty utilities was 46.3 compared with 45.4. Bank clearings were \$306,000,000 compared with \$335,800,000, the seasonally adjusted index dropping from 79.8 to 79.9.

The economic index was nearly 16 per cent higher than in the same week of last year, gains being shown by each of the six components. The index of industrial production in Canada on the 1928 base averaged 79.4 in the first ten months of 1934, compared with 64.0 in the same period of the preceding year, a gain of 24.3 per cent.

## DOMINION GLASS

Montreal, Dec. 10 (Canadian Press)—A surplus of \$8,472 for the fiscal year ended September 30, 1934, compared with a deficit of \$80,832 in the preceding year, was shown in the financial statement of Dominion Glass Company Limited here yesterday.

Net profits amounted to \$402,972 in comparison with \$329,519 in 1933. Earnings were equal to \$3.19 per share on the company's outstanding common shares, on which an annual dividend of 85 per cent is paid, as contrasted with \$3.09 per share shown on the common in the preceding year.

## Military Activities

NO. 13 FIELD AMBULANCE, C.A.M.C.

Parade at the Armories, Bay Street on Tuesday at 8 p.m. Bay Street on first aid by Lieut. C. A. Watson. The final round of the turkey competition will be held on this parade. Extract from District Orders No. 161, Royal School of A.S.C., held at Esquimaux, B.C.: Qualification in riding, Lieut. C. A. Watson, No. 13, Field Ambulance, C.A.M.C.

17TH FORTRESS COMPANY, CORPS OF CANADIAN ENGINEERS  
Parade at company headquarters on Tuesday at 8 p.m.: 8 to 8:30 p.m. drill (rifle exercise); 8:30 to 10 p.m. practical application of management of oil engines.

To be orderly sergeant for ensuing week, S. S. J. Carter.  
To be lance-sergeant, Lieut. C. P. Wilson; to be lance-corporal, Spr. B. Wilson; to be sapper, Bugler E. Palmer; to be sapper, Bugler A. L. Ricketts. All above to be effective as from Nov. 27, 1934.

"A" COMPANY 11TH MACHINE GUN BATTALION, C.M.G.C.  
Orderly officer for week ending December 15, Lieut. H. T. Scott; next for duty, Lieut. R. E. M. Verburgh; orderly sergeant, Cpl. W. Conway; next for duty, Sgt. D. J. O. Richards. Parade at 8 p.m. Tuesday, dress, drill order.

Training on Tuesday will be in accordance with the syllabus posted on the company notice board.

## TRADE STEADY SAYS REPORT

Improvement in West and Gains in East, Says Credit Men's Association

Canadian Press  
Winnipeg, Dec. 10.—The pulse of Canadian business continued to beat steadily during the past week. It is indicated in the weekly trade report of the Canadian Credit Men's Trust Association.

While eastern Canada generally held the gains registered in recent months the west showed some improvement. Calgary led the business upturn this week, all lines showing "decided improvement" over the previous week.

Report for the week ended December 8 follows:  
Halifax—All lines of trade show slight improvement over previous week. Collections moderate. Saint John—Trade continues fairly satisfactory, but shows no important change over late weeks. Collections fair.

Montreal—A noticeable trade improvement reported by retail merchants in both city and country districts. Collections fair to slow. Toronto—Retail trade sales showing improvement with the commencement of Christmas season. Wholesale sales and manufacturers' likewise benefited by the increased turnover. Collections fair.

Winnipeg—Trade volume compared favorably with returns for corresponding period last year and a more substantial increase is looked for. Collections fairly good.

Regina—Wholesalers and retailers report a satisfactory trade in all lines. Current collections good, old accounts slow.

Saskatoon—Wholesale groceries continue to record satisfactory volume of sales; hardware and oils and greases report sales showing increase over last year; footwear and drygoods lines good. Retail merchants benefiting by Christmas buying. Collections fair.

Calgary—Wholesale and retail grocery sales showing fair volume for this time of the year. All other lines report debt improvement over previous week. Collections difficult.

Edmonton—Wholesale houses report volume of business very satisfactory. Improvement was evident in retail trade owing to Christmas shopping. Collections fair to slow.

Vancouver—Practically all lines of trade report business as fair to good. Merchants report a larger volume than last year. Collections generally are reported as being fair.

## PLAN REORGANIZATION

Montreal, Dec. 10 (Canadian Press)—After protracted negotiations it is understood proposals will shortly be submitted to holders of the 6 per cent debenture stock and bonds of Dominion Steel and Coal Corporation and holders of the preferred and common shares of Dominion Coal Company Limited concerning the reorganization of the financial structure of the Nova Scotia corporation, the Canadian Press learned today.



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Large-size Cushions, covered with Liberty silk tapestry. Very handsome! Each, \$5.00 and \$7.50.  
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Up times this Saturday morning to find it clear and cold once again. Methinks the shopkeepers should be smiling for, with this weather, a great many people should be upon the downtown streets this day. Myself, to town by nine, and do mightily enjoy the clear cold air.

At once within Little & Taylor's fine shop, where I do find Mister Little much pleased over a shipment of fine Wahl fountain pens he doth but unpack. This he new pen indeed—for it hath an adjustable nib that do be changed at will to nine different writing points. This doth make fountain pens at last a practical gift. In jade, old agate, black and mottled wine—or of Doris design—this be gift to please both men and women. The but \$6.50. Then, too, Mister Little did show me a verie fine Ex-Duro vacuum filled, everlasting pen in good colors and neat shape—this be but \$8c. La! here be reasonable gift.

Do stop at Martin's Leather Goods Shop on Yates Street. Within this door I ever find good gift suggestions to please all peoples and all purposes. Here be fine leather goods—travelling cases and bags and a wealth of other things. Here also, be the little reasonable gift that one doth love to give—a fine bookmarker but 25c, shopping bags from 75c. La! I look around and see so many good buys. McMartin's doth ever invite inspection of their wares to all. This invitation and enter the portals of this shop—there be a great surprise awaiting for this shoppe be filled with a myriad gift suggestions. Straight up Yates Street to Minnie's Drug Store for Mister Minnie did tell me yesterday he hath many new gift ideas to please the men folk within his store. Well I remember the fine but 25c razor I did give Samuel some time since. These be the best safety razors made. In good gift boxes but \$5.95. This be not much to pay for lifetime use. Much taken with a perfect gift—his English lavender shaving soap in compact metal shaving bowl that doth just fit the hand, but \$6c. With gift box, too. Then there be the famous Yardley preparations for men, all dainty in their Christmas frills, at prices from but \$5c. All these be perfect gifts to please fastidious men.

Out once more upon the street and do turn at once up Douglas Street to Barber's Toy Shoppe for 20c. I suddenly remember 'tis we Moll's birthday this day. Think to get her the doll's crib she doth covet. Barber's do have a fine display, well made, with mattress, in all sizes and all colors. One I do see but 29c. Held a long moment before a great table of perfect baby dolls and find these be all made in Canada. La! This be great news, for now 'tis possible to buy a baby doll, life size, all dressed for but \$3.95. Within Barber's I do even find some dolls as little as 29c. Then there be dolls' trunks—tiny miniatures of wardrobe trunks that great ladies do have—almost as I tempted to get one instead of the crib. Everything be here to please the wee girl who doth love her dolls.

Back down Douglas Street to find Mistress Black hurrying on to English Bakery. Ever with the cake and puddings 'til the last possible minute. This year she doth plan it earlier for she knows the English Bakery cakes and puddings becoming better and better known. More people each year do order here and English Bakery do have to rush to fill all orders. Good plain Christmas cake be 50c a pound and cake all lusciously lead and decorated be 60c. The good English plum puddings be 35c a pound and one can order any size one wishes. Do think Mistress

## "PIRATES" WILL BE GAY SHOW

Young Artists to Present  
Gilbert and Sullivan Opera  
December 26

The comic opera "The Pirates of Penzance," by Gilbert and Sullivan, is to be presented at the Empire Theatre on Boxing Day, December 26, and judging by inquiries it is apparent that a very large audience will welcome the talented young people of the Eurydice Art Club in their ambitious effort.

Many regular players will be glad of the opportunity to renew their acquaintances with the delightful lilt of songs and choruses, notably "The Pirate King's Song," "The Paradox Trio," "Poor Wandering One," "The Model Major-General" and "A Police-mans Lot Is Not a Happy One."

A carefully chosen cast has been selected for the leading roles, including several favorites of last year's production. Margaret Lennox as Mabel, the General's daughter, will be found quite adequate as the leading lady, her singing and acting having already given her quite a local reputation. William Frampton, well-known tenor, has the important role of Frederick, the pirate apprentice, and will no doubt add to his laurels with his excellent voice and good stage deportment.

Catherine Denison, a talented contralto, is to be Ruth, the Pirates' maid of all work, and her singing will be appreciated. Mary Sinclair as Edith, and Grace Tuckey as Kate, show great promise in their respective roles.

A well-known favorite, young Bobby McVie, will play as the "Major-General," as will James McVie as the Pirate King. Bruce Mickleburgh, as the police sergeant, will supply the humor of the show. A chorus of fifty will be a big feature.

Special scenery and lighting effects will be used, also elaborate costumes, some of which have been designed and made by Miss Dorothy McKinnon. No effort is being spared to make this production a memorable one.

There will be a matinee at 2.30 p.m. with a special admission for children. The evening performance will commence at 8.15 o'clock.

Tickets are now on sale at Fletcher Bros. and from Mr. Mickleburgh, 3374 Cook Street, or from members of the club.

## Santa Claus Gets His Leg Broken

La Grange, Ga., Dec. 10.—The children here are in tears to-day—Santa Claus has a broken leg.

Santa arrived yesterday for his annual visit to La Grange, having disarranged his reindeer in favor of an airplane. Circling over the airport where hundreds of children awaited eagerly the old boy forgot his age and jumped out in a parachute, fracturing a leg in landing.

Plan Christmas Tree.—Victoria Chapter No. 23 Women of the Moose will hold their business meeting this evening at 8 o'clock, in the Moose Hall, 1121 Blanshard Street. A good attendance is requested, as much business to be discussed. It being the final meeting of the year, Home Chapter members please have names of children twelve years of age and under ready to hand in to the recorder, Mrs. Helen Parker, for the Christmas tree. Drill team attend in uniform, and as supper will be served members are asked to bring refreshments.

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## FILM FOLK WED, RUSH BACK TO JOB



They didn't have time for a honeymoon, but Margaret Sullivan, cinema star, and William Wyler, her director, radiate happiness as they appear here after their return to Hollywood from Yuma, Ariz., where they were married, making the trip both ways by plane, to save time from their work. It was the bride's second marriage and the first for Wyler.

## DYING CHILD AWAITS SANTA

Five-year-old Girl to Have Her Christmas Gifts Early

Associated Press  
Muskegon Heights, Mich., Dec. 10.—Old St. Nicholas, journeying down from toyland to fulfill the fireside dreams of children on Christmas Eve, cut across December's calendar today to reach the bedside of five-year-old Donna Davis Shaw so that death might not cheat her of her last merry Christmas.

One of these mornings Donna will wake up to find her stocking filled with Santa's gifts and beside her bed will be a Christmas tree with lights and gay ornaments and, glittering itself, concealing the shadow that hangs over her.

Doctors who have exhausted their resources trying to save her, told her parents that "Donna cannot live until Christmas." For three years they have fought a malignant ailment on her left eye.

Making their grief with pretending smiles, Donna's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. Warner Shaw, hurry about with plans for an early Christmas, because that day on the calendar may come too late for the little girl who wants a doll and a brand new toy automobile.

Old St. Nicholas, when he heard of her plight, sent one of his helpers here to see. He came to her bedside from his department store station, wearing his bright red suit and flowing whiskers.

"Merry Christmas!" he boomed to the delighted child. "I'm coming soon—real soon."

For Donna these days are filled with joy and anticipation. She does not know this is to be her last Christmas. Pain is all but forgotten as she waits and watches for her Christmas Day.

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## IN TOUCH WITH CONAN DOYLE

Widow of Novelist Claims She Communicates With Him Regularly

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
Associated Press Staff Writer  
New York, Dec. 10.—Lady Conan Doyle, widow of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, creator of Sherlock Holmes, and in his later years the world's leading exponent of spiritualism, writes me from England that she and her children are in constant communication with him.

She says in part: "I may tell you we have been in constant communication ever since his death. His presence lets us. You can imagine the immeasurable comfort and help it has been to my children and myself. I can truly tell you my children and I have 100 per cent evidence of his continued loving care of us and his knowledge of the smallest detail concerning our lives."

Conan Doyle died four years ago in the firm belief the spirits of the so-called dead remained in communication with this earth. Indeed, he went much farther, for he made the startling statement to me in the course of long and never-to-be-forgotten chats that spirits were able in some cases to materialize themselves—that is, to appear in human form, and even to exert physical force.

This is not a brief for or against spiritualism. Frankly I do not know enough about the subject to venture an opinion. All I can say is that Conan Doyle had one of the most magnificent brains I have encountered. And now Lady Doyle, a brilliant and highly educated woman, writes and tells me she and her children are in constant communication with him.

## Strawberry Vale

A praiseworthy community effort has been successfully completed by the Strawberry Vale Public School and Women's Institute in raising funds for the purpose of providing a radio for the girls' ward of the Queen Alexandra Solarium.

Throughout the month of November a silver tea was organized for this purpose, and was supplemented by a prize-drawing of a Christmas cake donated by Mrs. George Austin, Glen Road; the winner being Mrs. V. Simpson, North Road.

An enjoyable card party was held in the Colquhoun Community Hall Thursday evening, with six tables in play. This happy function was under the supervision of Messrs. H. Scrimshaw and J. Vorells. Ladies' first prizes were awarded to Mrs. J. Vorells and Mrs. J. Vorells' first prizes were won by Mrs. J. Vorells.

Consoles prizes being awarded to Mrs. Nelligan and E. Rowlands. Mrs. Sims provided music for an old-time dance, after which refreshments were served.

## ELISSA LANDI'S ROMANCE DEAD

"I have a baby a year old," writes Mrs. M. "I have been seasoning her cereal with bananas, and so far they have not hurt her. But my neighbor says they will give her convulsions. It seems to me that I have seen where you recommended bananas."

THINK FOR YOURSELF  
"My baby has never had a drop of cod liver oil. My mother-in-law says it is not necessary. She nursed all her children until they had teeth, and they are certainly a healthy family. She says people do wrong to feed their children too early for they will have stomach trouble. Will sugar on cereal cause diabetes? Can you give me a formula for evaporated milk?"

It is time you began to think for yourself instead of being ready to listen to advice from everywhere. Bananas are an excellent form of starch food and may be served instead of cereal. For small babies who chew poorly they should always be sieved, as lumps of unchewed bananas would tend to be difficult to digest.

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COLWOOD  
A meeting of the Langford and Colwood A.Y.P.A. will be held at the vicarage on Tuesday, December 11, at 8 p.m.

The annual meeting of St. John's Women's Auxiliary will be held on Wednesday, December 12, at 2.30 in the Colwood Hall.

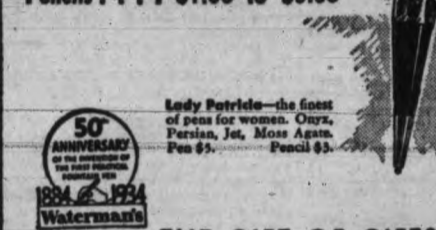
Women's Conservative Club.—The Women's Conservative Association will meet on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the headquarters, Campbell Building. All members are asked to attend.

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Job's Daughters.—A silver tea will be held at the home of Mrs. D. Clark, 3135 Quadra Street, under the auspices of Bethel No. 2 Order of Job's Daughters, to-morrow, from 3 to 5 p.m. A musical programme is being arranged and members and friends are cordially invited.

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## - A New Serial -

### By HERBERT JENSEN

## CHAPTER IX

"Come on, Frank, let's go!" On the way down the stairs, Grahame said, "I feel like a fifth wheel. Spin. You've done everything. Thanks a lot. You know how I feel about Janice."

Winslow paused and turned toward him. The expression in his eyes was veiled. He parted his lips to speak, paused, and said, "You're as complete a romanticist as Paula. Forget it. Kent's my bread and butter for the next six months—until the picture is done. I'm no altruist. I'm just—"

The dapper Mr. Greene bounded down the stairs behind them. A paper fluttered in his hand. He looked at Grahame with an expression of bewildered respect.

"Mr. Grahame," he said breathlessly, "you forgot your contract."

"My contract?" asked Grahame, puzzled. He gave an abrupt shrug. His paper was the one that Myberg had given him. Mechanically he took it in his hands.

Greene said, drawing himself erect importantly, "You'll be needing some publicity work done. If I may recommend my services to you—"

Winslow's long arm reached out. The palm of his hand pressed gently, inexorably against Greene's perky grey cheek. Mr. Green, perforce was pushed backward.

"Greene," said Winslow gently, "you get upstairs with Paula . . . and stay there!" He gave an abrupt shrug. Greene stumbled backward up three or four stairs.

They passed out of the house and stepped into Winslow's blue room at the curb. The wheels spun; they lurched forward. They roared down to Santa Monica Boulevard, thence into Wilshire, swinging right into Van Nuys, then into Hollywood.

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ship unless you can kill each other doing it."

Winslow chuckled. The attendant said, "That prop don't balance right. We only been using her for short pay hops."

"Thanks for the tip, grandpa. Climb up, Frank. You want to pee-let?"

Grahame shook his head. He adjusted his chute-pack and got in the forward cockpit. He noticed that the plane was equipped with dual controls. Snapping on the safety belt, he folded his arms.

The motor roared. Behind him Winslow yelled, "The airman's day off . . . he goes flying—"

Frank did not smile. He experienced a flash of envy for Winslow who could joke in any situation. Once—long ago—he was that way. Humor was simple to understand in those days, like, or to keep up your courage.

The motor thundered, the plane lurched, Grahame strained against his belt as the wheels left the ground and Winslow arched in a steep bank out of the field.

San Pedro below and to the right; Long Beach to the left and ahead; the air was less bumpy. Curious how at night the long line of surf stood out like broken white ribbons floating in an abyss of darkness.

Frank glanced at the illuminated instrument board. Although the plane vibrated excessively—the unbalanced prop—the fact that the ground lights that swung behind them to the left. He reconstructed the events that had culminated with Winslow and him in a plane headed for the Mexican border.

He calculated the chances for and against their finding Janice Kent at the end of their journey. He discovered that his mind could not definitely arrange and clarify the facts that he knew. They did not make exact sense.

An automobile accident had been arranged he was convinced, by the man Ortega. The fact that he had almost simultaneously with its occurrence doubtlessly had prevented Ortega from bringing his plan to completion.

But what was that plan? Janice Kent's subsequent disappearance from her home threw no light on the matter. Her maid, Paula, had told him that she had seen Ortega.

He remembered that Ortega loved her mistress, committing the present situation with a romantic objective. Miss Kent, she had said, had promised to marry Ortega, her contract would be broken if she married, therefore Ortega had accomplished an abduction.

Frank was assured that the maid believed this, but he was equally sure that Ortega—although he did not know the man—would have taken no such bold steps to accomplish this end. It was possible, of course, but rather incredible.

In the first place, Ortega was reputedly wealthy. Would he, then, take such elaborate and melodramatic measures to engineer an elopement which when consummated would relieve Janice Kent permanently of the necessity of making her own living? Why then, should there be any pretence of making it appear that Janice broke her contract with the Consolidated not of her own free will? Considering his own regard for her, this method of reasoning gave Frank a glow of satisfaction.

It brought him, moreover, with equal logic, to the conclusion that she had been taken against her will. But for what purpose? There could be but three reasons why a girl would be abducted who was beautiful, rich and a public personage. A man might love her insanely; be greedy for ransom, or he could hate her savagely. The last motive seemed remote, and the second illogical; the first, and had proved to himself, was impractical. These were not medieval days, when abductions were fashionable.

Frank muttered impatiently. It was a merry-go-round of reasoning that brought him nowhere. There was but one fact glaringly important. Janice must be found.

They roared over a crescent of

light that was San Diego. Tia Juana appeared below, whereupon the engine's crescendo broke into a staccato of backfires and tempered explosion that told Frank that they were gliding to a landing.

(To be continued)

# SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

By MARY E. DAGUE  
IS DOUGHNUT EVER CAKE?

Most doughnut lovers scout the idea that there could ever be any question about a doughnut being a doughnut. Yet the issue does arise now and then, like the old Bacon-Shakespeare controversy. If a doughnut is a doughnut and not a fried cake or cruller, then what is it? Sounds a little Gertrude-Stetson, but underneath there's sense to it all. For doughnuts are bits of yeast bread-dough sweetened and fried in deep fat. Fried cakes are made of the nature of the perfect temperature, or of a cake dough made thick enough to roll and cut in rings. They are fried in deep fat. Crullers means twist. The dough is the same as that of fried cakes, so the shape is the cruller's distinguishing feature.

TEMPERATURE ALL-IMPORTANT It is the temperature of the fat that determines the digestibility of the fried cake. If you have not a thermometer, then use the bread crumb test. An inch cube of bread from the soft part of the loaf should brown in sixty seconds when dropped in fat of the perfect temperature. The thermometer should register 375 degrees Fahrenheit when the dough is dropped in and should be kept at 360 degrees during frying. Rings and twists should fry in three to four minutes. Balls may need a minute or two longer.

The proper blending of ingredients is another important factor. Each ingredient should be thoroughly incorporated in the mixture as it is added, but prolonged stirring results in hard, tough fried cakes.

Chill the dough for an hour or longer before rolling. This makes it easy to handle with the minimum amount of flour and ensures tender fluffy cakes.

POTATO-FRIED CAKES For potato fried cakes, take one cup hot mashed potatoes, 4 tablespoons butter, 3 eggs, 1-1/2 cups granulated sugar, 1 cup milk, 4 cups flour, 6 teaspoons baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, 1-2 teaspoon vanilla, 1-4 teaspoon grated nutmeg.

Add butter to hot mashed potatoes and beat well. Beat eggs and add to one-half cup sugar. Mix and sift flour, baking powder, salt and nutmeg and add alternately with milk to first mixture. Add vanilla. Cover and let stand on ice for one hour. Dust molding board and rolling pin with flour and turn half the dough onto board. Roll lightly to one-half inch thick and cut into one-inch squares.

Roll out the rest of the dough in the same manner. Fry in deep fat heated to 375 degrees F. and drain on soft crumpled paper. Dust with powdered sugar when cool. If one tablespoon vinegar is added to the fat when it is put over the fire the fried cakes will have less fat flavor. Do not try to add cold vinegar to hot fat.

This recipe will make about three dozen fried cakes.

MONDAY'S MENU Breakfast—Chilled apple sauce, cereal, cream, crisp broiled bacon, cornmeal pancakes, milk, coffee, and Luncheon—Scalloped onions and macaroni, rye bread, stuffed peach salad, fried cakes, milk, tea.

Dinner—English mutton chops, cauliflower, turnips in mock hollandaise sauce, endive with French dressing, canned pears, plain cake with chocolate frosting, milk, coffee.

Varsity Match ON SHORT WAVE

The second half of the Oxford and Cambridge annual rugby match at Twickenham, near London, will be broadcast to-morrow by Capt. H. B. T. Waklam, well-known British sports commentator, speaking over the BBC's empire transmission. The broadcast will come to Victoria listeners at 11:10 a.m. on the BBC transmission number four, over stations GSD, 25.53 metres, and OGB, 31.53 metres.

This will be the fifty-fifth match between the two universities. Of the fifty-eight matches already played, Oxford has won twenty-seven and Cambridge twenty-one. Ten have been drawn.



James La Curto's sinister laugh starts the chills racing up and down many a spine as "The Shadow" programme is broadcast over a Columbia network Mondays and Wednesdays at 3.30 p.m., P.S.T. La Curto recently returned to the title role which he created a few years ago, and his voice is heard in mysterious tones during the dramas presented, as well as at the opening of the show.

# ON THE AIR

The majority of modern radios are calibrated in kilocycles, as printed underneath the name of each station in this column. Generally the last cypher is omitted, and dial read from about 54 to 150 kilocycles, the band between 540 and 1,500 kilocycles.

CFCT, VICTORIA (1,450 Kilocycles) To-night 8.30—Birthdays Party. 8.40—Dancing Tunes. 8.50—All-Star Band. 9.00—Music in the Air. 9.10—Colombia Radio Reporter. 9.20—Major Fleming and Guy Alderman from the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium.

To-morrow 8.00—Timely Topics, Dr. Clem Davies. 8.15—Tempest Fugit. 8.30—Let's Go Places, with Eric Marshall. 8.45—Time Files. 8.55—Morning Moods. 9.00—Feature Programme. 9.10—Art Fares. 9.20—Feature Programme. 9.30—Music in the Air. 9.40—The Concert Album. 9.50—Music in the Air. 10.00—World Book Man: "Why are some people superstitious about spilling salt at the dinner table?" 10.10—Ten Tunes Minutes. 10.20—Phyllis Bentley and Gordon Man. 10.30—Recordings. 10.40—One Hour with You. 10.50—Investment Talk. 11.00—Symphony Hour. 11.10—Province News. 11.20—Beverly Fife, baritone. 11.30—Phyllis Bentley and Gordon Man. 11.40—Recordings. 11.50—Three Men on a Boat. 12.00—Canada Reconstructed. 12.10—Mellow Melodies. 12.20—Dependable Program. 12.30—Santa Claus Programme. 12.40—Bird and Talking. 12.50—Alderman DeGraws Speech. 1.00—L. D. Taylor Meeting. 1.10—News. 1.20—To-morrow 7.45—Devotional. 7.55—"Your Garden to-morrow." 8.00—Optical Programme. 8.10—Smiling Billy Blinckhorn. 8.20—Stock Quotations. 8.30—Parrot-Federation. 8.40—Spencer Hour. 8.50—KOMO, SEATTLE (820 Kilocycles) To-night 8.00—Jan Carter's Supper Club. 8.10—Your Choice. 8.20—Thirty Minutes of Music. 8.30—Contested Hour. 8.40—Memory Lane. 8.50—News to America. 9.00—Red Daisies—Drama. 9.10—The Show with Hugh Hughes. 9.20—News Flashes. 9.30—The Bullseye. 9.40—Everett Hoagland's Orchestra. 9.50—Lionel Hampton's Orchestra. 10.00—Midnight Mood. 10.10—To-morrow 7.00—Three C's Harmony Trio. 7.10—Financial Service. 7.20—Alexander's Semmler—Piano. 7.30—Morning Reveries. 7.40—Harp Melodies. 7.50—Love's Priority Garden. 8.00—Martha Meade. 8.10—Three of a Kind. 8.20—Woman's Magazine of the Air. 8.30—Vic and Bada. 8.40—Vic and Bada. 8.50—Vic and Bada. 9.00—Vic and Bada. 9.10—Vic and Bada. 9.20—Vic and Bada. 9.30—Vic and Bada. 9.40—Vic and Bada. 9.50—Vic and Bada. 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## FIND PAPERS GOOD MEDIUM

### Life Insurance Companies Plan to Expand Advertising Campaign

In urging the adoption of the committee reports recommending continuation of co-operative life insurance institutional advertising, J. P. Weston, managing director of the Imperial Life, at the annual meeting of the Canadian Life Insurance Association, urged not only that the newspaper and farm paper campaigns should be continued throughout 1935 on the same basis as during 1934, but that the association's advertising activities should be extended at the earliest possible moment.

John Nelson, supervisor of public relations of the Sun Life, was equally emphatic in his appreciation of the institutional advertising which the association has carried on continuously for the last fourteen years. He paid warm tribute to the value of this advertising, not only as an effective force in promoting new and conserving old business, but as a medium for informing and educating public opinion.

"There are special reasons at present," he said, "why we should not abandon or relax our publicity activities. Life insurance has withstood a grueling test and has triumphantly emerged from a strain to which many other forms of business proved unequal. It, therefore, has no explanations to make and no apologies to offer. But the very fact that it has survived, that it has met all demands upon it, seems to be interpreted by the apostles of unrest and discontent not as a vindication but as a temptation to lay still further burdens on its shoulders."

"It is significant that an institution which has neither sought nor received from governments preferential treatment, subsidy, subventions, tariff protection, or other immunities from competition should be one of the few stout enough to ride out the recent economic hurricane without bowing signs of distress. Surely no finer proof could be afforded of the inherent strength of life insurance—the scientific exactness of its working formulas—than its performances in the recent crisis. Probably its most serious menace in recent years actually lay in those liberal cash surrenders and loan policy provisions which, originally designed to assist individual policyholders in emergencies, were suddenly invoked to avert world-wide financial catastrophe. The important stabilizing influence of life insurance, during a period of unprecedented trial and unforeseen conditions, is only part of a story which, especially in view of unjust proposals regarding its future regulations should be more generally known."

**NEW MOMENTUM**  
"It is for these reasons that some of us, as members of the association, are prepared to do our utmost to secure for this work should not."

## MILLIONS OF MARITIME APPLES "INVADE" BRITISH MARKET



The people in the Mother Country are very partial to Nova Scotia fruit if the large shipments this year are any indication of their taste. Up to November 24 a total of 387,364 barrels of apples from Halifax. Above are pictures showing the loading of the barrels at the Halifax terminal, while inset they are being hoisted aboard ship.

only be renewed but be materially increased. Life insurance has received a great momentum because of the successful result of the crucial tests of the last decade or two. To maintain that momentum will cost but a fraction of what it will cost to recover it once it is lost. Measured in terms of results, the cumulative effect of each year's campaign reduces the average annual cost of the whole enterprise.

"Because of the huge proportions which life insurance has attained, we inevitably fall into the classification of big business and cannot hope to escape the attention of the covetous, predatory and the destructive. But this business need have no fear once the public at large comprehends the facts and realizes that it is their money, their interests and their protection which is involved."

"In the columns of the daily press we have a flexible and readily available instrument through which the public can be promptly reached and error or misrepresentation quickly overtaken. It is a channel we should continue to use freely."

Montreal, Dec. 10 (Canadian Press)—Surplus of \$63,822 was reported today by the Southern Canada Power Company Limited for the year ended September 30, 1934, compared with a deficit of \$73,618 in 1933, according to the annual financial statement released here yesterday.

After deduction of bond interests, bad debts, depreciation and preferred and common dividends, a surplus of \$63,822 resulted, which, added to the surplus of \$1,400,000, gave a total profit and loss balance of \$1,400,000.



Now is the Time  
to Ensure

## FINANCIAL SAFETY

Alive to the needs of today in the insurance field, The Great-West Life has made important improvements in all policies, and has created new policies to meet special needs.

Here is a new contract that enables you to safeguard the future at minimum expense... a Great-West Life Endowment at \$5. It has many attractive features. The premium rate is low. Values are higher than those in an ordinary life policy. The policy shares in the Company's profits and these may be used to mature it as an endowment at a still earlier age, or may be used to your advantage in other ways.

For full information regarding this new low-rate policy write to our nearest Branch Office or to Head Office, Winnipeg.

THE  
**GREAT-WEST LIFE**  
ASSURANCE COMPANY

J. B. NICHOLSON, C.L.U. BRANCH MANAGER,  
BANK OF TORONTO BLDG. VICTORIA

## HOW TAXPAYERS STAND IN RACE

Here Is Explained What They  
Will Get For Their Money  
in Big Navy Competition

By RODNEY DUTCHER

Washington, Dec. 10.—The impending naval race will cost the taxpayers so much money that they at least ought to know what they are getting for it.

They will not find out in the official reports from Washington or the London preliminary naval conference. But here is the situation:

Japan demands naval parity with the United States and Britain because she intends to have a free hand in Asia. She is going to dominate China and plans commercial expansion over a wide sphere.

Although in case of war she is in no danger of attack by an American or British navy acting alone, she fears that the two English-speaking nations might some day merge or threaten to merge their fleets against her.

Such a combination now would mean 10-3 ratio against Japan. Parity would mean only a 10-5 ratio and Japan, therefore, would feel fairly safe with that. So she plans to smash the 5-3-3 Washington treaty.

You can just forget the story that Japan's demands are inspired by national pride.

**WORRIED BY BRITISH MOVE**

The Washington government is now making strenuous bids for a naval understanding with Britain. The theory here is that we must have that or embark on a huge naval building programme.

High officials in state and navy departments were jittery as Britain began making vague compromise offers to the Japanese at London and are correspondingly elated now that Japan has turned them down.

Our admirals cannot understand why the British, with a Far Eastern commercial stake far larger than America's, are not anxious to join hands in a common policy and a definite naval understanding as to Japan.

But some of the very best guessers believe Britain cannot join. In the first place, United States negotiators could not promise that the United States would join her in case she were fighting Japan, as congress would not stand for it.

For ten years, Britain has been balancing between France and Germany, now favoring one and then the other. This attitude of independence seems to be her favorite role. And it is at least likely that she will

now let the naval situation drift along, being friendly to America without antagonizing Japan.

Now as to America's position: The American navy can easily protect the coast, Alaska, the Panama Canal, and Hawaii, in the event of war with Japan. But not interests in the Philippines or the Far East.

**OPEN DOOR BIG ISSUE**

The United States navy is far from strong enough to cross the Pacific and successfully attack Japan and no programme which would give that strength. (Whether the United States would need a navy three or five times as strong as the Japanese to fight so far away from home is a matter of argument.)

Hence, parity for Japan would not essentially change the situation. State Department folks privately agree with this, except for the insistence that the 5-3 ratio acts as a certain check on Japan in her raids on China. The open door policy, national prestige and trade opportunities enter the scene at this point.

Secretary Hull, as a congressman, opposed the Washington Treaty in 1922 because it gave up America's Far Eastern naval bases. He is not saying so publicly, but the open door is a sacred principle with him and he seems to feel that America's destiny lies in the Far East, with its hundreds of millions of Chinese and other customers.

**COST GOES SOARING**

Roosevelt also believes in a strong navy, so it is possible to predict a definite American policy of preserving the present ratio. American naval ships cost \$48,000,000 in the fiscal year 1933, \$72,000,000 in 1934, and are costing \$120,000,000 this year.

Next year's appropriations will run between \$200,000,000 and \$300,000,000 and will be still within treaty limits.

Most of our capital ships will have reached the "age limit" by 1936, and they cost about \$50,000,000 apiece. No one can guess the added cost of a naval race with Japan in which we would build about two ships to her one.

The best hope for the taxpayers seems to rest in the lingering suspicion here that Japan may, after all, be bluffing and will not enter such a race. That suspicion is not anywhere near as strong as it was.

## Scout News

**FIRST CATHEDRAL**

The First Cathedral Scouts held their meeting on Friday. After the meeting was opened Scoutmaster R. White presented the following badges: R. Taylor, B. Westwood, G. Stock and D. Ketchison, second class, and A. Holder, swimmer. Inspection of the patrols by the scoutmaster followed, and then some questions on general scouting were asked. About twenty minutes of instruction was given in badge work, at the end of

## ERECTED TO MEMORY OF FAMOUS EXPLORER



Above is a photograph of the Scott Polar Research Institute at Cambridge, which was opened recently by Stanley Baldwin, Chancellor of the University, in memory of Capt. Robert Falcon Scott, C.V.O., R.N., of Antarctic fame. The building will serve as headquarters of polar research and exploration. Inset are Peter Scott and his mother, Lady Hilson-Young (formerly wife of the late Capt. Scott), inspecting exhibits in the institute.

## ARMS PROBES SHORT OF FUNDS

Munitions Committee at  
Washington Finds Itself  
Now Without Funds

By RODNEY DUTCHER

Washington, Dec. 10.—The munitions committee, which made so much hair stand up by its revelations early this fall, is now "dead broke."

Loaded with new sensations after further months of exploration and excavation, the investigating senators, headed by Nye of North Dakota, will resume hearings this week, and call before them a new batch of celebrated practitioners in the "iron, blood and profits" racket.

But its investigative staff, decimated to a wisp of its former strength by depletion of funds, will be serving without pay through December.

Just before and during the first hearings in September the committee staff consisted of eighteen investigators, thirty-two clerical workers, and a group of FERA workers at the New York office.

There remain Secretary Stephen Raushenbush and six other investigators and a half dozen secretaries which Cubmaster W. J. Munroe spoke to the former members of the Congressional Wolf Pack. Two or three of these remain before a sting-song was held which closed the evening. The pennant for last month was awarded to the eagle patrol for having the highest number of points. Some of the patrols have been renamed so that they are now all named after birds found in this district.

At their weekly Wolf Cub meeting held on Friday afternoon at Marshall Wood, Frank Clavette was invested a cub of the First Langford Troop. Fitzherbert Bullen and Rodney Bayles were invested as scouts by Scoutmaster D. B. F. Bullen at their regular meeting Friday evening.

and stenographers, two of whom are about to go on half pay. Even the colored messenger has been released. At the next hearings you will learn that American manufacturers of machine guns are now operating their factories twenty-four hours a day, and the committee probably will inquire whether the prospect of possible use against the unemployed is a factor in the boom as well as into sales methods and foreign markets.

The committee also has been edging closer to the activities of certain politicians in connection with munitions operations—and some of those boys may be on the griddle, too. But the committee has only begun the task assigned to it. Hampered by lack of funds and personnel, it has yet to plunge into the secrets of certain other industries—steel, for instance—which maintain powerful undercover lobbies in Washington.

Friends of the investigation are set to combat anticipated secret efforts of such interests to block further appropriations. The committee began last May with a grant of \$250,000, which has been spent for salaries, travel, official reporters, office rent and the like.

## Cocktail Books Vanish From Library

Washington, Dec. 10.—A great deluge of books containing cocktail and other mixed drink recipes poured into the library of Congress, which receives two free copies of every book copyrighted.

But you cannot find any of them on the shelves any more. The remnants of them are now tucked carefully away in the famous "Delta collection," where unexpurgated editions and such schoolboy prays as Latin ponies and answers to mathematical problems are reserved from the public.

The books were being spirited away in large numbers.

**HOMESTEAK DIVIDEND**

New York, Dec. 10 (Associated Press)—The Homestake Mining Co. yesterday declared the usual extra monthly dividend of \$2 and the regular monthly dividend of \$1, payable December 24 to stock of record December 20.

## ENO'S "FRUIT SALT"

Relieves Constipation  
... Pleasant-Tasting  
and Refreshing

## BADMINTON AT LAKE COWICHAN

Duncan, Dec. 10.—In a fourth division badminton match played at Lake Cowichan on Wednesday, the Lake Cowichan team defeated Duncan "X" 11-3. Players and scores, with Lake Cowichan mentioned first, were as follows:

**LADIES' DOUBLES**

Misses R. Castley and E. Atkins defeated Mrs. Christmas and Miss May Buckmaster, 15-3.

Misses R. Castley and E. Atkins defeated Misses J. Norie and C. Smith, 15-11.

Mrs. Harness and Mrs. Groatie lost to Misses Norie and C. Smith, 6-15.

Mrs. Harness and Mrs. Groatie lost to Mrs. Christmas and Miss Buckmaster, 6-15.

**MEN'S DOUBLES**

S. and W. Groatie defeated Gooding and Thorpe, 15-7.

S. and W. Groatie defeated King and Stonier, 15-1.

Castley and Hemmington defeated King and Stonier, 15-3.

Castley and Hemmington defeated Gooding and Thorpe, 15-7.

**MIXED DOUBLES**

Mrs. Harness and S. Groatie de-

feated Mrs. Christmas and Thorpe, 15-7.  
Mrs. Harness and S. Groatie defeated Miss Buckmaster and Gooding, 15-6.  
Miss Atkins and Castley defeated Mrs. Christmas and Thorpe, 15-5.  
Miss Atkins and Castley lost to Miss Buckmaster and Gooding, 10-15.  
Miss Castley and Hemmington defeated Miss Norie and King, 15-9.  
Miss Castley and Hemmington defeated Miss Smith and Stonier, 17-14.  
Mrs. Groatie and W. Groatie lost to Miss Smith and Stonier, 6-15.  
Mrs. Groatie and W. Groatie lost to Miss Norie and King, 7-15.

## RENT APARTMENTS with WANT ADS

## CHRISTMAS GIFTS THAT LAST

### A Cozy Chair for Dad or Mum

Deep spring cushion seat and soft back. A real Easy Chair. Large choice of colors. \$24.75  
Terms Without Interest

### A Cozy Easy Chair for Mother's Bedroom or Sitting-room

Fully upholstered with soft aging seat—choose your own color. Special \$12.90  
Terms Without Interest

### SIMMONS SPRING-FILLED MATTRESS

### THE CHRISTMAS GIFT SUPREME

Nothing but a GOOD Spring-filled Mattress, with its hundreds of soft, resilient springs fitting the body in a restful, buoyant manner and enabling the hips and shoulders to sink in and the spine to lie straight, is good enough to-day. We offer a Genuine Simmons Quality. From \$42.50 to \$15.90  
Terms Without Interest

### Exceptional Values in BEDSIDE RUGS

Large Reversible Heavy Smyrna Hearth Rug for only \$2.75

### Poster Beds

A dignified Bed of superior style and quality, made to match the better-class walnut and mahogany furniture. All sizes \$19.90

### ENGLISH WHITE WOOL BLANKETS

Made in the Yorkshire mills, super quality, this is the best value we have had in years; two sizes:  
66x84 inches. Guaranteed pure wool, pair \$8.90  
76x84 inches. Extra weight and extra large, as used in England \$11.25

### HIGH CHAIRS

In smart round-back style with overhead tray, storg double-rung construction, in the new natural light varnish finish. \$2.50

### PEDESTAL AND CABINET SMOKERS

There never was a time when so many homes needed a smoker stand. More than ever these will make a popular gift. Pedestal models \$1.75  
Cabinet models \$6.95  
from \$3.95

### BISSELL'S CARPET SWEEPERS

An excellent handy Sweeper that gathers up the dirt and keeps the dust down. \$3.95

## STANDARD FURNITURE CO.

Furniture Specialists 737 YATES ST.



VICTORIA, B.C., MONDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1934

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING TELEPHONES E4175, E4176

## Victoria Daily Times

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1 a.m. to 8 p.m.—Circulation... E4175  
Advertising... E4176CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES  
140 per word per insertion.  
Minimum charge 30c.  
\$1.50 per line per month.  
Minimum charge \$2.50.Births, \$1.00 per insertion.  
Marriages, \$1.50 per insertion.  
Deaths, \$1.50 first insertion and \$1.00  
succeeding insertions.  
Funeral notices, in Memorial notices  
and Card of Thanks, \$1.50 per insertion.In computing the number of words in an  
advertisement, estimate groups of three or  
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line thereafter. This is not an absolute  
guide to the number of lines, much de-  
pending on the length of the individual  
words.The Times will not be responsible for  
more than one incorrect insertion of any  
advertisement ordered for more than one  
issue. Any claim for rebate on account of  
errors or omissions must be made within  
thirty days from the date of the same  
otherwise the claim will not be allowed.Advertisers who desire it may have re-  
plies addressed to a box at The Times  
Office and forwarded to their private  
address. A charge of 10c is made for this  
service.Subscribers wishing their addresses changed  
should notify this office as well as the  
carrier. If your Times is missing, please  
phone E4175 before 8 p.m. and a copy will  
be sent by special messenger.INDEX TO CLASSIFIED ADS.  
The eight major groups of classifica-  
tions appear in the following order:  
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Letters addressed to the following boxes  
are available at The Times Office on pre-  
sentation of box letters. Maximum replies  
are obtained by advertisers who follow up  
replies promptly.Box 1036, 1477, 1489, 2294, 2302, 3143,  
3288.

## Announcements

DIED

CREED—On Sunday, December 9, at the  
Royal Jubilee Hospital, John Creed, aged  
seventy-seven years, 1621 Fern-  
wood Road. The late Mr. Creed was  
born in London, England, and came  
to San Francisco, California, in 1904,  
to Victoria over fifty years ago. He  
is mourned by his widow, three sons  
and two daughters, John A. Walter C.  
and G. Stanley, and Mrs. R. Anker  
and Mrs. A. Jordan, and five grand-  
children, all of this city.  
The funeral will take place on Tuesday  
afternoon from McCall Bros. Funeral  
Home, at 2 o'clock. Rev. F. F. Church  
will conduct the service, after which in-  
terment will be in the family plot at Ross  
Bay Cemetery.WALTON—On December 8, at the family  
residence, 2629 Graham Street, John  
Walton, aged fifty-nine years; born  
in Darlington, England, and a  
resident of this city for forty years.  
He leaves to mourn his loss his wife  
and one daughter, Eleanor, at home,  
and one sister, Mrs. A. O'Reil, Alber-  
Head.The remains are resting at Hayward's  
B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where they  
will be held on Tuesday, December 11,  
at 3 p.m. Rev. F. F. Church officiat-  
ing. Interment in Colwood Burial Park.

## FLORISTS

ANY FLORAL DESIGN, MOST REASON-  
able prices. Pollock Bros., 1213 Doug-  
las. G5315.BALLANTYNE BROS. LTD.  
630 Fort Street Phone G4217  
CUT FLOWERS AND DESIGNS  
Greenhouses, North Quadra StreetA. J. WOODWARD & SONS LTD.  
—Established 1892—  
Designs—Souvenirs—Flowers.  
Anywhere—Anytime—Night. G4398

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HAYWARD'S B.C. FUNERAL CO. LTD.  
Established 1897  
724 Broughton Street  
Calls Attended to at All HoursModerate Charges Lady Attendant  
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THOMSON FUNERAL HOME  
Phone G5612 1629  
Large Chapel Private Family Rooms  
Experienced Lady AttendantSANDS MORTUARY LTD.  
Complete Funerals in Our New Mortuary  
at Modern Prices  
Experienced Lady Attendant  
Phone E7811 and G5339  
1803 Quadra Street Victoria, B.C.McCALL BROS.  
"The Floral Funeral Home"  
Office and Chapel, corner Johnson and  
Vancouver Streets. Phone G3012E. J. CURRY & SON  
"Distinctive Funeral Service"  
Private Family Rooms—Large Reception  
Chapel—Funeral Home  
Opposite New Cathedral. Phone G5612CARTER FUNERAL HOME  
Our Charges Are Reasonable  
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## MONUMENTAL WORKS

STEWART MONUMENTAL WORKS LTD.  
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May St. Phone G2462

## Coming Events

A BIG CANADIAN OLD-TIME SATUR-  
day night dance, December 8, Lake  
Hill Community Centre, 8-12, Irvine's or-  
chestra, with "Boatley" McKenzie, M.C.,  
35c, including supper. Bus at 12, 230  
dance of the week.AN OLD-TIME CANADIAN DANCE FOR  
beginners, K. of P. Hall, Broad St.,  
to-morrow, Tuesday night, 8:30, "Boatley"  
McKenzie, instructor. 1508-1-136A NOTHER OLD-TIME DANCE, STRAW-  
berry Vale Hall, Friday, Dec. 14, 8  
o'clock. Boatley's orchestra; tombola; re-  
freshments. 1508-1-136ARE YOU DINING IN TOWN? SEE  
the Mayfair Cafe for good  
cats. 1911 Broad St., at Fort.AUCTION BRIDGE PARTY—CHOICEST  
turkey prizes, Tuesday, December 11,  
8 p.m., 8-12, Irvine's orchestra. 400c.  
Savannah Conservative Association. Re-  
freshments. Admission 25c. 3299-2-136C.O.P.—PUBLIC MEETING, 724 FORT  
St., to-night at 8 o'clock. Speaker  
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## NEWS IN BRIEF

The Quadra Parent-teacher Association will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the school annex.

Lake Hill Community Centre will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday evening next at 8.30 o'clock.

A by-law appointing D. J. Matheson as city assessor of Prince Rupert has been confirmed by the provincial government.

Trial of Duncan MacKinnon's action against Donald Paterson over a Keeling farm property got under way today before Mr. Justice H. B. Robertson of the Supreme Court.

Payment of a gratuity of \$259.20 to Mrs. Olive E. Cottle, widow of the late John R. Cottle, who was an employee at the Provincial Home for Incurables, has been authorized by the government. It is equivalent to three months' salary.

The annual business meeting of the St. Mary's Oak Bay Men's Guild will be held in St. Mary's Hall on Thursday evening next at 8 o'clock, when there will be an election of officers for the coming year. Rev. R. W. Mayhew will give a talk on "Oak Bay Municipal Affairs."

Ward Two Liberals will hold their monthly meeting to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock at Liberal headquarters, Broughton and Government Streets. After the business is transacted several speakers will address the meeting. All Ward Two Liberals are cordially invited to attend.

Hon. K. C. MacDonald, Minister of Agriculture, was on the mainland today prepared for a busy time. He was listed to attend meetings of the B.C. Farmers' Association, the B.C. Swine Breeders' Association, the B.C. Seed Growers' Association and the B.C. Horsebreeders' Association.

The S.H. (B.C.) Coast Brigade C.A. will hold a Christmas turkey shoot, competitive, on Tuesday and Wednesday, December 11 and 12, at 7.30 p.m. Finals will be held on Tuesday, December 11 at 7.30 p.m. Prizes will be awarded and any member of the Brigade who has attended practice shoots will be eligible.

Owing to popular demand the St. Luke's Scout group committee will sponsor another of their old-time dances on Wednesday evening, December 12, in St. Luke's Parish Hall. Dancing will commence at 9 o'clock to the music of Jack Irvine's popular orchestra. Everyone will be welcome and a good time is assured all who attend. Refreshments will be served.

Viscount Chetwynd, who is en route from the interior to California and Texas, was a caller at the office of the Victoria Automobile Club on Saturday afternoon. The distinguished caller took out a membership, explaining that his A.A.A. membership having lapsed he was anxious to display a British badge on his car while motoring through the United States.

Miss M. Cross, Bay View Apartments, 302 Bay Street, suffered an injured leg in an accident at the corner of Bay and Cook Streets yesterday afternoon, according to the police report she was struck by an automobile driven by Mrs. E. Bassett.

West Saanich, where it was reported was driving west on Bay Street, was struck by a car driven north on Cook Street by P. B. Alexander, 3208 Shelbourne Street. The injuries were reported as not being serious.

Mrs. Mary Edith Wright, colored, was sentenced to five days' imprisonment when convicted in the City Police Court this morning of assaulting her husband, R. A. Wright, and occasioning actual bodily harm. A counter charge against the husband was dismissed.

J. C. Campbell, director of national parks publicity for the Dominion Government, was in Victoria on February to co-operate with the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau in taking moving pictures of Vancouver Island. He will bring with him several films which have already been taken and show them at lectures on the island. From the same department the bureau has been advised that a number of films of national parks, of special interest to British Columbia, will be made available for the bureau's advertising campaign.

Mrs. J. Maxwell and Miss Joyce Maxwell were injured in an unusual accident at the corner of Hillside and Blackwood Avenues on Saturday afternoon, a police report stated. They were passengers in John Maxwell's car when it struck head on with another car driven east on Hillside Avenue by A. Hesson, Glenford Avenue. Mr. Maxwell, it was reported, was traveling west on the avenue and collided with the Hesson car as it swung to the north side of Hillside Avenue to avoid Dr. J. D. Balfour, who was traveling north on Blackwood Avenue and stopped at the south car tracks. Dr. Balfour attended Mrs. Maxwell at the Jubilee Hospital, afterwards taking her home.

The blind were hosts on Saturday afternoon when they entertained a musical programme and tea on Saturday afternoon at the K. of C. Hall. Miss Dorothy Stark, home teacher for Victoria and district, arranged the affair and welcomed the guests. Mr. C. Robinson, superintendent of the western division of the Institute for the Blind, was a welcome guest and addressed the members. Other special guests were Fred Landberg and Rev. J. K. Unsworth. Piano solos by A. Varney were enjoyed and his flute solos were applauded. E. J. Turner was encored for his two delightful vocal solos. He was accompanied by Miss Caley, Major W. H. Watts entertained the audience with pianoforte selections. Addresses were given by R. Thompson and A. Crawley.

The fate of a two-year-old baby to-day lies in the hands of the Justice H. B. Robertson of the Supreme Court. A Victoria barber and his wife want to adopt the baby as their own. Dr. Richard Fulton, city medical health officer, and Dr. A. C. Sinclair both signed statements for the court recommending the adoption. Laura Holland, deputy superintendent of neglected children, however, opposed the adoption. J. R. McIlreath, counsel for the barber and his wife, pointed out that it was not necessary to have the consent of the superintendent, but that she had been formally notified. Mr. McIlreath explained that the baby had been taken at its birth by the barber's wife, who was then in hospital with the natural mother, and had had the child since. The justice said he desired to look into the case before rendering judgment.

## BEST HYDRO PLANTS HERE

B.C. Survey True Model of Its Kind, Says Dr. Albino Pasini of Milan

"The organization of the British Columbia hydro-electric survey is a true model of its kind," said Hon. Albino Pasini, president of the Hydro-electric Power Commission of Milan, Italy, at the Empress Hotel prior to his departure Sunday for Seattle. The Italian expert, who has spent a month in Canada, visiting all the important hydro-electric plants in the country, pointed out that the study of the maximum energy available for future plant development was a very important matter and he was glad to see that it was not being lost sight of in this province. He believes the Canadian hydro-electric plants are the most important in the world. Besides being head of the hydro-electric power commission of Milan, Dr. Pasini is president of the National Fascist Federation of Italian Municipal Industries, professor in the Royal Technical High School of Milan and a deputy of the Italian Parliament.

While in Victoria Dr. Pasini met Major J. C. MacDonald, comptroller of provincial works, rights and Hon. A. Wells Gray, Minister of Lands. He informed Mr. Wells Gray of the great progress made by Italy in the hydro-electric industry within the last ten years. The power of the Italian plants, he said, has been tripled to reach its present capacity of over 5,000,000 kilowatts.

On Saturday Dr. Pasini visited the Jordan River hydro-electric plant of B.C. Railway Company, accompanied by Major MacDonald and George Tripp, superintendent. He has previously visited the West Kootenai River, Ruskin and Stave Lake plants.

Before leaving Victoria for the United States, the noted Italian visitor expressed his warmest admiration for Canada and his gratitude for the cordial welcome given him here. Dr. Pasini, who will inspect hydro-electric plants in Seattle and California, is accompanied by Filippo Cetraro, and a secretary, E. O. Beardslee.

## PIONEER LADY TO REST TO-DAY

Late Mrs. J. Balagno Resided on Island Nearly Fifty Years

Mrs. J. Balagno, who passed away last Thursday, took place this morning. Relatives and a large gathering of friends were present for the funeral service. The deceased was a pioneer settler in the area and had resided on the island for nearly fifty years.

Word has been received in the city of the death at Salmon Arm, on December 8, of Edward Wood, a pioneer of Victoria. Mr. Wood was the only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Richard Woods, and arrived here with his parents in 1861.

Surviving him, beside the widow, are one son, Grenfell Woods, residing in the interior; one daughter, Mrs. Frank Kilmer, of Nanaimo; his sister, Mrs. H. K. Andrews, and many grandchildren.

## PLOT CHARGED BY PASTOR

Canadian Press. Dec. 10.—A charge that occurred in a world of characters of a house owned by the United Church of Canada in Vancouver was a crude frame-up by a group of socialists and moral perverts to "get me and the church," have been made by Rev. Andrew Roddan in sermons delivered at the First United Church. The house was raided on November 25 and 27 and a number of arrests were made, after which ownership of the property was investigated. Church officials denied having knowledge of the use to which the house was being put or the character of its occupants.

## GANG MEMBER KILLED BY POLICE

East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 10.—James Hickey, associate of the Shelton-Gaffey, was shot and killed here Saturday afternoon by Sheriff Henry Siekmann and four deputies. It was announced early today, thirty-six hours after the killing.

## LACK OF WORD ON SUBSIDY PUZZLING

Provincial authorities were still puzzled to-day by lack of word from Ottawa regarding the proposed \$750,000 interim subsidy to be given British Columbia. Beyond the announcement made by Hon. Grote Stirling to a meeting of the B.C. Conservative Association on Friday the government had received no advice whatever about Ottawa's plan. The statement by Mr. Stirling was not sufficiently clear to convey just how the relationship rests with regard to better terms, it was explained.

## ROAD PLAN GOES AHEAD

Hard Surfacing Programme For Province Is Fairly Well Assured

A programme of hard-surfacing B.C. roads is practically assured for next year.

Confirming an announcement in Vancouver Saturday, Hon. F. M. MacPherson, Minister of Public Works, said the prospects of implementing his plan for approximately 400 miles of hard-surfacing, costing roughly \$1,500,000, were much improved now that provincial finances are straightening out.

"It depends, of course, on whether the money is obtainable," he said, "but I have every reason to believe there will be some funds for the purpose. This department will be prepared with a programme that can be started early in the spring." Tentatively the figure of \$1,500,000 is being considered, Mr. MacPherson said.

While the bulk of the money would be spent on hard surfacing, a few new links are proposed, especially in the northern part of the province. As much as possible will be allocated for hard-surfacing sections of the Transcanada Highway.

Cost of the work is estimated at \$4,000,000. The roads are in shape to take the hard top. Mr. MacPherson said that with the special loan obtained from the federal government, several sections have been prepared for hard-surfacing.

## Boy Orator Bats For Gyro Appeal

Twelve-year-old orator pinching for and steps boldly tells them how service club is out to fill Christmas hampers for needy.

On the heels of the youth movement comes the juvenile movement. Twelve-year-old spellbinders are holding crowds breathless with their oratory now.

The first young Victorian to crash the spotlight in the new movement is Kenneth Wills, speaking on behalf of the Gyro's Christmas Hamper Fund. Ken took his stand before 700 people at the basketball game at the High School gymnasium Saturday, pinching-hitting for his father, Archie Wills, who was unable to make his scheduled appearance.

When the time for the appeal to be made arrived, Barney Wills, found Wills Sr. was absent, and asked Wills Jr. about it. "Dad couldn't come, but I know what he wanted to tell the crowd today. To change the times the Gyro's Christmas Hamper Fund. Ken took his stand before 700 people at the basketball game at the High School gymnasium Saturday, pinching-hitting for his father, Archie Wills, who was unable to make his scheduled appearance.

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## OUTLAWS HOLD THEATRE OWNER

Ellensburg, Wash., Dec. 10.—Klickitat County officers reported to-day they had found the wrecked sedan of Clarence Farrell, Ellensburg theatre owner, who was kidnapped and his car commandeered by two men after a jail delivery here yesterday evening.

Mrs. Farrell left for the scene immediately with an Ellensburg deputy sheriff. Yakima advised said Yakima officers also were en route too, as the machine was found along the highway near the Yakima county line.

The authorities said they believed the men were hiding with their victim in the hills near Ellensburg. Possesmen trailed the car through fresh snow this morning to Naches City on the old Shushan highway. They said they were told there were two men in the auto in addition to Farrell and Martin Hogan, the convict who was freed from jail here.

## OAK BAY MAN IS HELD UP

J. Stevenson, Monteith St., Reports Gunman Victimized Him Saturday

Held up by a gunman who ordered him to "stick 'em up" and "hand over" what he had, J. Stevenson, 925 Monteith Street, was robbed of \$2 at the point of a revolver, shortly before midnight, Saturday, according to a report to the Oak Bay police.

Mr. Stevenson told the police the robbery took place on Monteith Street, just after he had left the bus. He described the gunman as being about forty years of age and said he had an accomplice who waited for him in a "light delivery truck in which they drove away after the robbery."

The victim did not communicate with the police until about twenty-five minutes after the robbery, it was reported. He was not able to give investigators a very good description of the man as he said the hold-up occurred in a secluded portion of Monteith Street.

## U.S. Science Medal For Dr. Plaskett

Dr. J. S. Plaskett, director of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, has been awarded the Henry Draper Gold Medal "in recognition of his consistent labor in stellar radial velocities and related subjects."

The award is the highest in the gift of science in United States, being the equivalent of that of the Royal Society in Britain. Announcement of the honor has been made by Dr. E. E. Wright, home secretary of the National Academy of Science, following the decision of the committee of the Henry Draper Fund.

The presentation is to be made at the annual meeting of the academy next April. As Dr. Plaskett will be in England to lecture at Oxford at that time, a deputy will receive the medal for him.

## John T. Walton Died Saturday

The death occurred on Saturday at the family residence, 2630 Graham Street, of John Thomas Walton, aged fifty-nine years.

Mr. Walton was a native of Dartington, England, and came to Victoria as a young man. For fifteen years he was an engineer on the old Victoria and Sidney Railway, and when that line ceased operation entered the employ of Ormrod's Limited, as an engineer, remaining in that position until his death.

He is survived by his widow and one daughter, Eleanor, at home, and one sister, Mrs. O'Kelly, Albert Head. Funeral services will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. E. F. Church will officiate, and interment will be in Colwood Cemetery.

## PROTEST EARLY CLOSING MOVE

Hairdressers of Victoria, seeking a reduction in hours, which would see their shops open half an hour later in the mornings and close half an hour earlier Saturday evening, ran against a snag to-day.

He has submitted a petition to the City Council asking for by-law amendment to effect their change in hours. A counter-petition was brought in against the scheme and an investigation revealed those seeking shorter hours had not sufficient signatures on their petition to have it passed.

Of forty-three qualified barbers in Victoria, twenty-three, representing 53.47 per cent, favored the shorter hours. To change the times the signature of 75 per cent are required. In view of the fact fifteen, or 34.88 per cent, have signed the counter-petition, the change is not expected to be effected.

## Kinsmen Show This Evening

With their two shows this evening at the Empire Theatre the Kinsmen Club of Victoria hopes to raise enough money to look after a number of the city's unemployed on Christmas Day. This is the largest charity show undertaken by this enterprise since last year and all that is needed to make the show a success is the wholehearted support of the general public.

"The Sweetheart of Syncope" will co-operate with the Kinsmen Club in this programme. This agreement of pin musicians has pleased hundreds of Victorians during the week-end with their appearances with Harry Berry's "Sunkist Vanities."



## Musical Gifts

From the Store of "Everything in Music" If you want an inspiration that will solve a difficult gift problem... come to Fletcher Bros. this week. It is the largest EXCLUSIVE music store in Victoria, where you will find every kind of musical instrument and prices to suit every purse. Christmas stocks are now at the height of variety.

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**THINKS BOOM WILL RETURN**  
Victoria is in line for progressive growth that will eclipse its record of the past, declares Col. H. A. Mullins, M.P. for Marquette, Manitoba, who was in the city Saturday on his annual trip to the Pacific coast.

Col. Mullins has arranged to spend the Christmas holidays with a friend in Redlands, Cal., otherwise he would be tempted to remain in Victoria to enjoy the equable climate here.

He asserts that Vancouver Island is rapidly becoming recognized as the playground of the North American continent.

He has been coming here at various periods for about forty years and believes there is no place that can compare with Victoria. He recalls the boom of 1919 here and says it will be repeated.

Tribute is paid by Col. Mullins, an old cattleman himself, to Dr. F. F. Toimie, who, he claims, first removed the stigma from Canadian cattle in the United Kingdom market and opened the way for steadily expanding trade.

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**NEW BOLIVIA CALL TO ARMS**  
Canadian Free from Havas La Paz, Bolivia, Dec. 10.—The government to-day decreed mobilization of all citizens capable of bearing arms.

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# Chicago And Detroit Register Wins In Major Hockey

## THE SPORTS MIRROR

### Hawks Net Four Goals In Third To Beat Rangers

Shutout Club Which Walloped Toronto Maple Leafs Saturday Night

#### First Tie Game Of Season Seen

Tail-end teams in the National League were wondering to-day what they could do about schedules that force them to play two hockey games on successive nights and sandwich in long train rides as well. They found the stunt too tough over the week-end, when three of them tried it, and collected only three points in six games.

New York Rangers got a majority of them Saturday night as the Cook brothers and Frank Boucher flashed a bit of their old form, and Lester Patrick's team beat Toronto Leafs 5 to 2. Montreal Canadiens took the rest when they played New York Americans seven minutes to 2 to 2 tie, the first in the forty-five league games this season.

The game at Toronto and the long train trip softened Rangers for Chicago Black Hawks, and they were shut out 4 to 0 yesterday evening. Canadiens had been beaten by the same score Saturday night in Boston. St. Louis Eagles played Maroons in Montreal Saturday, and took on Red Wings in Detroit. All they got for their efforts were back slaps for their improved showing. Maroons beat them 1 to 0 and Detroit took them 3 to 1 in overtime.

**MARONS CREEP UP**  
Hooley Smith's prediction that Maroons would overhaul Toronto by Christmas seemed far less fantastic to-day than it did a couple of weeks ago. Their win and Leafs' loss left Tommy Gorman's team just four points behind Toronto, and they have two games in hand.

Leafs' defeat at Rangers' hands was only their second in eleven games this season, and robbed them of the distinction of being every team in the league in the first meeting of the season. The New Yorkers were greatly improved over their previous showings this season, while Leafs lacked their usual well-coordinated play.

Bun Cook matched Ken Doraty's first period goal with one in the second, and Cecil Dillon opened up Bill Thompson's counter with one of his own. Then the Ranger veterans really got going, and even Charlie Johnson, who seldom scores more than twice a season, got a goal. Bill Cook made it 3 to 2 half way through the last period. Johnson increased the margin, and Frank Boucher made it a perfect evening score for the old line with the New Yorkers' fifth counter.

**FOURTH SHUTOUT**  
Tiny Thompson got his fourth shutout of the season when Bruins beat Canadiens, and he took over the leadership in that regard. A driving attack and a goal for the Bruins for the Bostonians. They were held scoreless until well into the second period, when Charlie Sands started them on the right foot, the former came in the third period, two from Marty Barry's stick and the other from Jack Shill's.

Howie Morenz scored his first goal of the season when Hawks beat Rangers. All the world champions' tallies came in the last period, when Morenz, Johnny Gottselig, Doc Romo and Bill Kendall beat Andy Aitkenhead.

St. Louis held Detroit scoreless until the third period, and when Eddie Goodfellow got the first goal of the game Joe Lamm came back with the tying counter while Larry Evans was off for tripping. Anderson scored from a faceoff near the St. Louis nets after five minutes of the season when Hawks beat Rangers. All the world champions' tallies came in the last period, when Morenz, Johnny Gottselig, Doc Romo and Bill Kendall beat Andy Aitkenhead.

Two aging veterans, Harry Oliver and Rabbit McVeigh, started America off on the right foot, the former tallied on McVeigh's pass after two minutes of play.

Joe Simpson's team held the Hawks off until late in the second, when another veteran, Aurel Joliat, tied it up. Canadiens got the first goal in overtime. Jack Riley scored on Deme Roche's pass, and Eddie Burke evened it up again with less than a minute to play.

Rangers — Aitkenhead, Seibert, Johnson, Boucher, F. Cook, W. Cook, Dillon, MacNeil, Keating, Levisky, Somers, Heller Connolly, Mason, Patrick.  
Chicago — Chabot, Burke, Coulter, Roman, Thompson, Couture, Wiebe, Morenz, March, Lock, Kendall, T. Cook, Gottselig, McPadden, Trudel.  
Officials — Daigneault and Clegghorn.

**SUMMARY**  
First Period—No score. Penalty: F. Cook.  
Second Period—No score. Penalties: Coulter, Keating, March.  
Third Period—4, Chicago, Morenz (March), 22; 3, Chicago, Gottselig, 3:16; 4, Chicago, Roman (Coulter), 5:03; 4, Chicago, Kendall (Cook, Trudel), 15:30. Penalties: Keating, March.

St. Louis—Beveridge, Frew, Bowman, Patterson, Finnigan, Shannon, Ayres, Voss, Brydson, Howe, E. Roche, Cowley, Wainio, Ripley.  
Detroit—Smith, Goodfellow, Young, Welland, Aurie, Lewis, Wiseman.  
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### Major Hockey Pace-setters

Leaders in the various departments in the National Hockey League follow:

**CANADIAN SECTION**  
Section—Toronto Maple Leafs, won 9, lost 2, tied 6, points 18.  
Points—H. Jackson, Toronto, 10 goals, 4 assists, 14 points.  
Goals—H. Jackson, Toronto, 10.  
Assists—R. J. Smith, Montreal, 8.  
Penalties—R. Horner, Toronto, 35 minutes.  
Shutouts—George Hainsworth, Toronto, 3.

**AMERICAN SECTION**  
Section—Chicago Black Hawks, won 6, lost 3, tied 4, points 12.  
Points—Sorell, Detroit, 4 goals, 7 assists, 11 points.  
Goals—Goodfellow, Detroit, 5.  
Assists—Sorell, Detroit, 7.  
Penalties—Barry, Boston, 26 minutes.  
Shutouts—Thompson, Boston, 4.

### ROSS FIGHTS THIS EVENING

Chicago Jew Will Defend Junior Welter Crown Against Bobby Pacheco

New York, Dec. 10.—Barney Ross will defend his junior welterweight title this week, meaning keeping a weather eye on Madison Square Garden where, a possible contender, Joe Light, light-weight championship title may be defended.

Ross will try to protect the junior welterweight crown against the assault of Bobby Pacheco, Los Angeles, in a twelve-rounder at Cleveland to-night but the outcome of that match may be much less important to him than Friday night's doings at Madison Square Garden.

The Garden card will be featured for the third successive time by Boston's rugged little "heavy" light-weight, Sammy Fuller, who will meet Eddie Cool, Philadelphia, at ten rounds.

The Garden hopes to match the winner of Friday's fight with Tony Canoneri, the survivor to box Ross for the lightweight championship.

### PORTLAND IN EASY VICTORY

Turn Back Edmonton 7 to 2 in Northwestern Hockey League Game

Portland, Dec. 10.—Portland Buckaroos shared third place honors with Calgary in the Northwest Hockey League standings to-day as a result of their 7 to 2 victory over Duke Kest's Edmonton Eskimos here yesterday evening.

Coming from behind in the middle period, the Bucs bulged the Edmonton net three times to overcome Kest's 2 to 0 lead hung up in the opening session, then added four more counters in a furious third period attack.

**Line-ups follow:**  
Edmonton—Rheaume, Smith and Mercers; Rimstad, Gagne and Carse. Subs: Heard, Brander and Dunn.  
Portland—McGee, Kest, Fraser and Fraser; Evans, Lyon and Heinemann. Subs: Townsend, Kunsman, Scott and Couper.

**SUMMARY**  
First period—1, Edmonton, Carse, 1:50; 2, Edmonton, Mercer, 10:22. Penalties: Gagne, Hemmerling, Couper, Fraser.  
Second period—3, Portland, Evans (Arbour), 15:50; 5, Portland, Hemmerling (Fraser), 15:55. Penalties: Mercer, Brander, Hemmerling, Scott (5 minutes each).  
Third period—6, Portland, Evans (Hemmerling), 9:30; 7, Portland, Hemmerling, 12:50; 8, Portland, Townsend (Lyon), 15:50; 9, Portland, Evans. Penalties: Arbour, Kunsman, Scott.

### HOCKEY STANDINGS

N. H. L.	W.	L.	T.	P.
Canadian Division				
Toronto	9	2	0	20
Montreal	8	3	0	18
N.Y. Americans	7	4	1	15
Calgary	6	5	0	12
St. Louis	6	5	0	12
Chicago	5	6	0	10
Detroit	4	7	0	8
Hawthorn	3	8	0	6
American Division				
Chicago	6	3	0	12
St. Louis	5	4	1	11
Detroit	4	5	1	9
Calgary	3	6	1	7
Portland	3	7	0	6
Hawthorn	2	8	0	4
Edmonton	2	9	0	4

N. H. L.	W.	L.	T.	P.
Northwestern League				
Seattle	2	2	1	5
Vancouver	2	2	1	5
Calgary	2	2	1	5
Portland	2	2	1	5
Edmonton	2	2	1	5

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Victory City In Cup Football Win

Defeat Victoria West 3 to 2 to Lift Milton Cup; Jack Payne's Goal With Seconds to Go, Gives Red-shirts Well-earned Victory

Honor of winning the first football trophy of the 1934-35 season goes to Victoria City. On Saturday afternoon at the Athletic Park the City boys lifted the Milton Cup by defeating Victoria West 3 to 2 after a hotly contested final. With just a matter of seconds before the final whistle Jack Payne drove the ball into the greenish net to give his team a well-earned victory and prevent the match from going into overtime. With the cup in the only senior match played a large crowd attended.

Following the game the winners received the trophy, C. V. Milton, donor, making the presentation to Eddie Gibson, captain of the red-shirts.

The Wests had no alibi, as on their chance in the first half they should have scored enough goals to clear the game away. They had a clear margin in the opening forty-five minutes, but again and again their away glorious scoring opportunities. The tide of play changed in the final period with the City making practically every chance good for a goal.

**OPENING GOAL**  
Five minutes after the opening whistle the City went into the lead. Taking a pass from his brother George, Jack Payne rifled the ball past Bessan, in the net for the Wests. Minutes later the City looked dangerous, but Robbins was whistled offside. The Wests finally settled down and during a warm scrimmage in the vicinity of the City a foul was called on Halkett. Storey's kick was blocked and Youson drove the rebound over the bar.

Cleveland is only two points behind Buffalo in the league standing so a victory for the Falcons will tighten the race considerably.

In a game featured by its total lack of penalties, Cleveland defeated the Detroit Olympics, 2 to 1, Saturday night.

The third Saturday night game saw a 1 to 1 draw at London between the London Tecumsehs and the Windsor Bulls Dogs.

**Nanaimo Rugger Lose to Varsity**

Vancouver, Dec. 10.—A smooth-working three-quarter line carried Varsity to a 23 to 6 victory over Nanaimo in a first division English rugby game at Brockton Point yesterday in a game marked by a heavy blanket of fog which fell over the field after twenty minutes of play.

Nanaimo forwards had slightly the better of their scrum rivals, but their good work proved unavailing as the backs became "lost in a fog." Half-time score was 10 to 3 for Varsity.

Occasional defeated Rowing Club 16 to 0, Ex-Magee won over Marpole 12 to 3 and North Shore All Blacks took a 13 to 3 victory from Ex-Britannia.

Sinking his tee shot at the short ninth hole, a distance of 185 yards, H. J. Davis joined the hole-in-one club, Saturday afternoon, at the Victoria Golf Club, while playing in a foursome with H. H. Shandley, B. S. Heisterman and H. S. Garrett at the time of his feat.

**FLASHY STAR**

George Weinborn

battle-scarred young star of the Province Bluebirds who will appear here on Friday night's Klwanis Club's sponsored game, against the Adanacs of New Westminster, at the Willows Horse Show Building. Weinborn caught a place in the all-star line-up against Orillia when they played in Vancouver and proved one of the most effective men on either line-up. He packs a wicked shot and is elusive. Adanacs will find him a hard man to stop on Friday, and both teams are out to win the match. Tickets for the game are on sale at Richardson's Cigar Store and the Two Jacks.

**BIG SEVEN OF MAJOR HOCKEY**

Ebbie Goodfellow, Detroit Red Wings, scored one goal and assisted in another in the 3 to 1 defeat of St. Louis Eagles over the week-end, and bounced back into the National Hockey League's big seven to-day.

He was placed in a three-way tie for fourth place with Robinson, Montreal Maroons, who scored one goal and Welland, Detroit, who got an assist. Each has ten points.

The standings follow:

G.	A.	Pts.
Jackson, Toronto	10	4
C. Conacher, Toronto	8	7
Sorell, Detroit	4	7
Robinson, Montreal	3	10
Goodfellow, Detroit	3	10
Welland, Detroit	2	10
Aurie, Detroit	2	7
R. Smith, Montreal	1	8

**F. C. BARBER WINS**

In the final game of the Victoria West Brotherhood cribbage tournament, F. C. Barber defeated D. Bessan, and captured the trophy donated by N. R. Hill. Suitable prizes were also awarded the finalists.

Victory City—Hood; Stofor, Hal-

### Canadian Boys In Brilliant Victory

#### Ruth's Team in Win at Manila

Manila, Dec. 10.—A crowd of more than 20,000, a record turnout for a baseball game in the Philippines, saw Earl Averill knock two home runs and Charlie Gehringer hit another to-day as Babe Ruth's barnstormers defeated the Filipino team which last year won the far eastern Olympic title. The score was 7 to 3.

**Capture All But One Event in Big Track and Field Meet Against College and Senior Stars at Auckland; McPhee and Limon, Vancouver, in Wins**

Auckland, N.Z., Dec. 10.—Canada's schoolboy athletics yesterday conquered the stiffest opposition of their Antipodean tour when they swept through a track and field meet against college and senior stars here to collect first place in all but one event, the high jump.

Andy Zisla, Toronto's Dominion sprint champion, started the parade of Canadian winners to the tape when he spanned over the 120-yard hurdles in 16.4 seconds. The speedy Ontario youngster raced into a commanding lead from the gun and eased up to the final yards.

Howard McPhee and Marshall Limon, Vancouver, B.C., repeated their successes of the two previous meets when they captured the sprints and middle distance events.

**McPhee EXTENDED**

McPhee won the 100 yards after a stirring battle with Elliott, New Zealand, and Bill Savage, Hamilton, Ont. The British Columbia sprinter hit the tape a scant foot ahead of his New Zealand opponent. Savage was another step back in third place.

McPhee repeated in the 220, again nosing out Elliott with Zisla a close third. McPhee's time was 22 seconds flat and 10.2 seconds for the shorter distance.

Limon won the 440-yard event in a close finish with Lyle Fleming, Blenheim, Ont.

Chunkey Edie, Wares, Calgary, captured first place in the shot put with a heave of forty-seven feet seven inches, less than a foot under the unofficial record held by the Hamiltonian several months ago, subsequently disallowed when the ball proved to be underweight.

**McPHEE EXTENDED**

Richardson, youthful empire broad jump champion from Toronto, won the broad jump with a mark of twenty-two feet five inches.

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### Capture All But One Event in Big Track and Field Meet Against College and Senior Stars at Auckland; McPhee and Limon, Vancouver, in Wins

Auckland, N.Z., Dec. 10.—Canada's schoolboy athletics yesterday conquered the stiffest opposition of their Antipodean tour when they swept through a track and field meet against college and senior stars here to collect first place in all but one event, the high jump.

Andy Zisla, Toronto's Dominion sprint champion, started the parade of Canadian winners to the tape when he spanned over the 120-yard hurdles in 16.4 seconds. The speedy Ontario youngster raced into a commanding lead from the gun and eased up to the final yards.

Howard McPhee and Marshall Limon, Vancouver, B.C., repeated their successes of the two previous meets when they captured the sprints and middle distance events.

**McPhee EXTENDED**

McPhee won the 100 yards after a stirring battle with Elliott, New Zealand, and Bill Savage, Hamilton, Ont. The British Columbia sprinter hit the tape a scant foot ahead of his New Zealand opponent. Savage was another step back in third place.

# Navy Beat Gunners In Big Rugby Game

**Bert Barker's Convert Gives Sailors Margin of Victory in Second Half Feature; Scottish Drub Bays 11 to 0; Wanderers Default to Garrison**

They make 'em faster, but not more serviceable, than Bert Barker. At least that is the way the Navy feels about it. On Saturday Bert, burly bulwark of the sailors' senior rugby pack, kicked the convert of Chuck Sweet's try which gave the blue-jackets their 5 to 3 victory over the Fifth Brigade in the crucial game of the local league's second half at Macdonald Park. The result kept the tars' record unmarred by defeat this season.

When he went into battle against the Gunners last time he scored the try that accounted for victory.

Canadian Scottish came out of their slump to beat a weakened J.B.A.A. squad 11 to 0, and the Oke Bay Wanderers unable to field a team, defaulted to the Garrison, in the other senior fixtures.

One of the best crowds that has paid to see a senior game this year watched the Gunners-Navy struggle and saw the artillerymen go down to defeat in spite of a furious, hard and fast thrashing final onslaught that all but changed the verdict.

**NAVY BACKS GOOD**

The sailors surprised the faithful with the speed and ability of their backfield, despite the absence of Chuck McDonald. The Gunners, without Paul Rowe, tried to fill up the gap by putting Doug Peden, a cracking good loose forward, in their line, but he was out of place. There was little to choose between the defence, anything, the tars had the better chance of getting through on the Gunners' right wing.

Playing conditions were excellent and the brand of ball was equal to any seen this season.

As a result of their win, the sailors are favorites to march through the second half to the city title without a play-off. Only an upset in which one of the teams not figured in the running may beat them, will rob the tars of their title. The game was tight at the start. The Fifth Brigade bucked down to the Navy twenty-five on a good series of rushes, but Barker broke away to clear and the Navy pushed back to midfield, breaking through on loose passing by the Gunners.

McInnes kicked back, Robinson returned, and Smith finished a nice Navy backfield movement when he was forced out on the Navy twenty-five.

**DECIDING SCORE**

Play swung in front of the Gunners' scrum. Sweet's pass was passed to Sweet. Sweet ripped through a hole in the Brigade defence and went over for a try. Barker's pass, Barker converted, to put the score 5 to 0 for the Navy about twelve minutes from the start.

The Gunners opened up a barrage, going well into the Navy ground on runs. They were stopped before they were dangerous. Hall dribbled and fly-kicked back to midfield, and McInnes was awarded an honor run. Peden cleared when Briggs played offside, but the tars came right back.

**NICK GAIN**

Smith took his own blocked kick and punted back down the field, waiting to touch the ball behind the line, watched it bounce out at the flag.

The Navy looked dangerous, but a free kick relieved pressure and Briggs came back on a dribble. Sweetman tripped one of the Gunners' backs and the Brigade cleared to midfield on the penalty kick.

Stagg punted deep into the Gun-

ners' ground again, where Alec Gaunt Robinson was grounded near his own end. The ball was run in by Peden, who failed to get Peden's kick back. The artillery boys were in a position to score, but the Navy line held until Barker burst forth again to lead them to safety.

The half ended without further score.

**FLEMING OVER**

Five minutes from the interval Fleming took a pass from Peden after Scott had made an opening and streaked thirty yards for a try near the corner. It was a pretty open-field run, but the kick failed and the Gunners still trailed two points behind, with the score at 5 to 3.

The Brigade returned to the Navy end, but could not smash through. Smith intercepted nicely at midfield and got away on a lovely individual run that looked to be marked for try. Stipe came out of nowhere to drop him on the twenty-five.

The Navy got a free kick thirty yards from the Gunners' uprights when one of the artillerymen tripped, but the attempt for goal went wide.

The artillery boys came back to midfield, where the Navy three-line, playing real rugby, swung away on a nice run that reached the Gunners' ten-yard line. Peden hoisted the ball back from a free kick but Robinson returned, to midfield.

**GUNNERS NEARLY SCORE**

Neither gained in a kick exchange until the Gunners unleashed another attack that forced deep into the Navy ground. Freeman fumbled a pick-up and the ball shot across the sailors' line. He raced after it with Wally Stipe. Both boys hit the ball and the sailors were given a scrum.

The Gunners took command of the attack and hammered away in the Navy ground, but the sailors would not give way.

Peden was moved to fullback and McInnes went into the brigade's three-line.

Hall cleared nicely with a soccer kick as the artillerymen continued their attack, but Phillips kicked back to keep the Gunners in the Navy ground.

The Navy forwards finally smashed through to midfield, and Snakes Hall broke away when he took Fleming's punt to go to the Brigade twenty-five, where he was forced out.

Robinson ran back a good clearance and the Gunners gained a kick when Smith bundled into McInnes. The Brigade was still on the attack as the final whistle sounded without further score.

Bill Derbyshire refereed and the teams lined up as follows:

Navy—Robinson, Bamfield, Sweet, Smith, Putnam, King, Freeman, Sweetman, Corbin, Rutherford, Briggs, Hall, Nixon, Sinclair and Barker.

Fifth Brigade—McInnes, Fleming, Gaunt, Peden, Phillips, Scott, Stipe, Stagg, Stagg, de Blesinger, Stagg, Stagg, Eastman, Rogerson and Deacon.

**SCOTS WIN**

Playing against a J.B.A.A. squad which went through the first half with thirteen men and the second with fourteen, Canadian Scottish gained their first real victory of the season as Admirals Road in the only other senior game of the day, winning 11 to 0.

The kitmen displayed a vastly improved game over that of previous performances to gain their decision. Halfway through the opening stanza Aeland gained on a nice dribble following a pass from "Ty" but was forced out before he could get across. Banks kicked too far ahead from the line-out and when the ball came back for a twenty-five yard scrum, Mac Billingsley secured and got over near the flag. The kick failed.

**OVER ON INTERCEPT**

Shortly after Banks went over on an intercept and Dick George converted to raise the score to 5 to 0. About six minutes from the close of the game, Blinkey Tisdale finished.



Another odd dozen students joined the lists of qualified life-savers recently when examinations were held for the above class, coached by D. E. Smith. The entire class passed the bronze medallion examinations conducted by Mrs. M. E. Ellison and W. T. Stanyan. Those in the picture, reading from left to right, are: R. Troup, A. Oldfield, B. Potter, K. Schaff, W. Ross, Z. Burnett, B. Burnett, M. Jukes, B. Beckton, M. Gravin, M. Wickson, J. Murdoch and D. E. Smith, instructor. G. Gibbs and F. McConnan were absent when the picture was taken.

## Blue Ribbons Meet DeMolay

On Saturday evening at the Victoria High School gym the Blue Ribbons, Victoria's premier basketball team, will engage in another intercity engagement against the crack DeMolay squad from Seattle.

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## HAWKS NET FOUR GOALS IN THIRD TO BEAT RANGERS

(Continued from Page 14)

Graham, Anderson, Sorrell, Pettenger, Buswell, Duguid, Boyd.

Officials—A. G. Smith and Bill Stewart.

**SUMMARY**

First Period—No score. Penalties: Ripley, Aulie, Graham, Shannon.

Second Period—No score. Penalties: Ripley, Aulie, Graham, Shannon.

Third Period—1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

Fourth Period—No score. Penalties: Ripley, Aulie, Graham, Shannon.

Fifth Period—No score. Penalties: Ripley, Aulie, Graham, Shannon.

Sixth Period—No score. Penalties: Ripley, Aulie, Graham, Shannon.

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## RIBBONS IN ANOTHER WIN

Come From Behind in Second Half to Defeat Italian Athletic Club 27 to 22

Tearing down the home stretch after getting away to a slow start and trailing most of the way, Blue Ribbons, Victoria's pride in the basketball world, came through with another dazzling victory Saturday night at the High School gymnasium when they defeated the Seattle Italian Athletic Club by 27 to 22. Some 500 fans took in the game, which turned out to be the best exhibition of basketball seen in Victoria this season.

The visitors brought over as sweet a bunch of ball players as has been seen on the High School floor, and they held a distinct advantage over the Victoria boys in regards to height and weight. The game was a real acid test for the Ribbons and it was a delight to see the young rookie forward line of Andrews and McKeech stand up under the pressure. The veterans of the squad turned in a sparkling exhibition, especially in the second half, when they were called upon to hold off the repeated drives of their towering opponents.

**VISITORS LEAD**

Seattle took possession of the ball at the tip-off, won from the clubs with short snappy passes and Frederick took Antonich's pass to flip in the first score from deep wing. The same player repeated seconds later from under the hoop on a pass from Werner. Antonich made it 5 to 0 with a free throw as Martin fouled him.

Martin scored Ribbons' first point as Antonich was called for shoving on the jump. It was his third foul of the game. Seattle took time out and a 6 foot 6 inch giant by the name of Murphy replaced Antonich. This boy Murphy was the biggest ball player ever seen in Victoria and the fans took quite a shine to him. Werner scored from the wing on a looping high shot. Victoria scored its first field goal as McKeech passed to Andrews at the foul line. Werner made it 9 to 3 with another long shot and the Ribbons were in the lead being outplayed. Peden made Estep's foul good for a point, and on a pass from Chapman, Martin sank a long one. Peden scored on a delayed one-hand push-shot.

**RIBBONS ON TOP**

Peden put the Ribbons in the lead for the first time on a bucket play. Score 10 to 9. Driving their plays in close from the tip-off, Murphy tapped in Frederick's rebound, but Andrews repeated on the next play, as he made Peden's rebound good for two points. Murphy missed Martin's third foul of the game. Estep took Murphy's tip-off pass to score. Ostling brought the score to 14 to 12 when he sank a free throw. The visitors were displaying plenty of speed and tricky dribbling and at the half were forcing the play.

The second half saw the Ribbons at their best, and they went out the floor. Murphy scored the state Martin made Andrews' pass good to tie the score at 14 all. Ribbons were passing nicely and their plays were beginning to click. Frederick gave the visitors back the lead, but Andrews once more knotted the count.

Murphy gave the fans a howl as he reached down and placed the ball through the hoop. Werner came through with a long one to boost the score to 20 to 16. Frederick missed Chapman's foul as Antonich and Ostling replaced Murphy and Estep. Big Steve didn't stay in the game long, as he was forced out with four personals when he fouled Andrews, who missed. McKeech picked up two points on a lay-up. McKeech fired a long range shot through the hoop. Chuck Chapman made his first basket on a pass from Martin and Seattle took time out. Peden faked a pass and went

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## EUROPEANS IN BIKE VICTORY

Alfred Letourner and Gerard Debaets Win Six-day Race at New York

New York, Dec. 10.—Alfred Letourner, pink-sized Frenchman, and his husky partner, Gerard Debaets, Belgium, early yesterday won New York's fifty-seventh week-long whirl around the Garden's pine saucer.

Paul Brocardo, Italian, and blond Adolf Schoen, Germany, finished second, two days behind the winners, with Franco Georgetti, Italian veteran, and his California partner, Norman Hill, San Jose, Calif., third, three days back.

**Final standings follow:**

Letourner-Debaets ... 2,453 9 743  
Brocardo-Schoen ... 2,453 9 443  
Georgetti-Hill ... 2,453 6 741  
Dempey-Thoma ... 2,453 4 824  
Martinet-Reboul ... 2,453 4 887  
Rodak-Echallier ... 2,453 4 523  
Garrison-Sheehan ... 2,453 2 288  
Zimberg-Wissel ... 2,453 1 792  
Debus-Kuester ... 2,453 1 238

through to score from under and again tie the score at 22 all. Estep then replaced McCulloch. Chapman missed two free throws, Werner fouled Peden, who made both throws good to put the Ribbons in the lead 24 to 22 with four minutes to go. Chapman counted a free throw. Ribbons were tearing in after rebounds and forcing the play. Just before the bell Chapman heaved a floor-length pass to Martin, who completed the scoring, and the locals walked off the floor with a well-earned victory.

The West Road cagers handed the Colonist a surprise 32 to 26 defeat in the men's senior B game.

Kingham and Gillespie found the Penwood Merchants plenty tough and barely scraped through with a 35 to 30 win.

During the intermission in the big game, the young son of Archie Willis made a brief speech to the audience on behalf of the Gyros in which he asked for the support of all Victorians in the big hamper drive being sponsored by the clubmen.

**TEAMS AND SCORES**

Tommy Macedo was referee for the main tilt, while Alan Le Marquand handled the preliminaries.

Teams and individual scores follow: Kingham and Gillespie—Anderson 7, Edge 5, McConnell 6, Turner 4, Phillips 3, Allan, Bury 3, Dale 2, and McConnell.

Fernwood Merchants—Price 3, Vout 3, Thomas 2, Dunstied, Wilson, Noel, Ramore 20, Hughes 2 and Duckworth.

West Road—C. Sluggitt 1, Young 4, Claude Sluggitt 2, Lannon 7, Butler 4, Clarence Sluggitt 10, M. Lann 22 with four minutes to go.

Colonist—Stipe 2, Florence 3, Scott 2, Surphill, Moore 3, Clark 4, Elliott and McKeech 2.

Sealans—Belmont 4, Warner 4, Murphy 4, Antonich 1, McCulloch 2, Ostling 1 and Frederick 4.

Blue Ribbons—Chapman 3, McKeech 2, Andrews 3, Martin 3, Peden 7, Craig and Shepherd.

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a header, obtained Liverpool's only counter late in the game.

The match at Huddersfield ended in a 1 to 1 tie between the Gunners and Huddersfield Town after a fast encounter. Morris, Huddersfield's young reserve left-winger, scored their goal on a header in the twenty-fourth minute. There was only six minutes to go in the second half when Bowen, Arsenal's international, secured the tying goal in lucky fashion, his shot hitting Roughton and going into his own net.

**GURNEY IS STAR**

Sunderland made the result decisive, winning 3 to 1 over Birmingham. Barnes scored for the visitors after ten minutes but they were not allowed to score again. Gurney equalized right afterwards. Gallacher and Connor added two more to make it 3 to 1 at the half. Gurney got the two other goals for the leaders.

The highest-scoring match of the day was Derby's trounce of West Bromwich Albion, 9 to 3. Stockhill scored for Derby's reserves after 15 minutes, but W. G. Richardson equalized. Gallacher made it 2 to 1 for the home side, then Crooks scored twice and Stockhill registered another. Crooks, Sandford, Gallacher and Stockhill secured the winners' other goals.

Yeovil and Peters, minor league industrial club, took like the Cup "giant-killers" this season. They defeated Exeter City by a 4 to 1 count to lead the small coterie of minor survivors into the next round of the Cup. Wigan Athletic eliminated Torquay United, 3 to 2, and Bath City progressed at the expense of another minor club, Boston United, 2 to 1.

**GREAT SURPRISE**

One of the biggest surprises of the day, however, came at Stamford Bridge, where the lowly Chelsea eleven starting the soccer world by beating Liverpool, 4 to 1, although the latter club had just obtained the services of Derby's famed international, Cooper.

Cooper, a fullback, had a tough time checking the Chelsea forwards. Spence rushed in to score in the twenty-fifth minute and scored again to make it 2 to 0 before half-time. Spence also scored the other two, one on a pass from Mills, Wright, on

urday evening, 35 to 30, and attained first place in the league, along with the new Westminster Adanacs.

The game was a see-saw affair and at half time The Province was leading 17 to 16. Haugh accounted for thirteen points and McLeod for ten for the Vacs, and Kennington with nine and Purves and Helen with eight each were the high scorers for The Province.

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He called faintly. The man crawled in. D'Arnot spoke to him in French, then English, but he shook his handsome head. After examining D'Arnot's wounds he disappeared, coming back with fruit, water, pieces of smooth bark, and a pistol. Squinting bewilderment, he wrote, handing the message to the Frenchman.

D'Arnot read with astonishment: I am Tarzan of the Apes. Who are you? So D'Arnot wrote in English about himself. Thus conversing, he learned the story of the fight and found Jane was safe. Then for three days he was in a delirium. Tarzan feared to leave him alone.

Days after, D'Arnot, very weak, but recovering, sat conversing with Tarzan by means of the smooth bark. He wrote: What can I do to repay you? Tarzan replied: Teach me to speak the language of men. Slowly he taught him to speak in French. Tarzan was a very eager student.

Soon Tarzan asked D'Arnot if he felt strong enough to be carried back to the cabin. He was anxious to go, longing to see Jane again. D'Arnot wrote: You cannot carry me all that distance. "That's easy," Tarzan laughed. So they set out. Mid-afternoon, they arrived. The cabin was deserted.

# Dorothy Dix

IN A SCIENTIFIC study of marriage that has recently been made it was found that middle-aged marriages are happier than those contracted in youth. This puts a crimp in love's young dream and indicates that intelligence goes farther than romance in making marriage a success.

This conclusion is amply borne out by the fact that it is a matter of common observation that, taking them by and large, widows and widowers make the best wives and husbands, and that second marriages rarely end in the divorce court. This is true even of divorced people, for those who could not get along with their first mates seem able to get along with almost any sort of mate when they marry again.

Of course, there is a glamour about young love that elderly affection never possesses. Twenty is the time for circling wings and star dust and the chanting of the angel choir that forty never sees or hears; but it is also the time of awakening from a dope dream, the time of mud-slinging and bitter vituperation, and if the old do not get the kick out of marriage that the young do, they also escape many of its bruises.

There are many reasons why late marriages should be, as a rule, happier than young ones. The first is, of course, that it eliminates many of the risks of marriage. It is less of a gamble and more of a sure thing. More like putting your money in a government bond instead of speculating with it in wild-cat stock.

The boy and girl who get married are plungers who play a long shot at happiness when they marry. They take a double chance on their marriages being successes because they not only do not know what the other children they are marrying are going to turn into when they are grown up, but they have not the faintest idea of what they are going to be themselves, nor what sort of husbands and wives they are going to want and need.

The mature man and woman do not thus leave their fate on the knees of the gods when they marry. Their tastes and habits are formed. Their characters settled. And when they choose their mates, they are almost sure to pick out some one who has the qualities they desire, instead of trusting to luck that their husbands and wives will somehow, some way, turn into what they want them to be. Nor are middle-aged people as likely to be swept off their feet by the purely extraneous charms of an individual as boys and girls are. It is only those in their first and second childhood who marry a girl just because she has a pretty face, or a boy because he has a "way" with him, without giving any consideration to her or his desirability as a wife or husband.

Then, too, those who marry later in life are ready for marriage. They have had their plummy and they are fed up with parties and balls and down by their own firesides. They have had their fill of flirtations and light love. All they want is the enduring love of the one man or the one woman on whom they have set their hearts, and no stren and no sheik have the art to tempt them away from their allegiance to their mates.

It is those who have married too young who regard marriage as a prison and long for freedom; who complain of domestic life being dull; who regard their children as brats and resent the time and labor they have to bestow upon them, and who wreck their homes by their philandering. They are still children and they still want to play about, and in their games they only too often pull their houses down upon their heads.

Mature people also bring the discipline of life to marriage, and that is something the youngsters lack. They have learned self-control. They have learned how to play fair, how to give and take. They have learned tact in handling situations, how to give the soft answer that turns away wrath, and how to put things in a way that will rob them of their unpleasantness.

We talk about the adaptability of youth. There is no such thing. All boys and girls are intolerant. Determined to have their own way. Nothing but time and experience teaches us to walk around a stone wall instead of trying to butt it down with our heads. When you see a middle-aged couple who are always quarreling, it is the hangover from their early marriage when each was trying to make the other over according to his or her heart's desire, and when every word was the fighting word.

Those who have married late in life live in peace and harmony because they have learned how to adjust themselves to new people and new situations, and they know that their happiness depends upon their sidestepping each other's little peculiarities and handling each other with finesse.

I once said to an old bachelor who was about to get married that I hoped that his bride would be all that his fondest fancy pictured. To which he replied with a smile: "Well, you know at fifty we haven't so much fancy as we had at twenty, and it doesn't paint things in such gay colors." And perhaps that is the chief reason why late marriages are generally happy ones.

The mature man and woman do not expect the impossible. They don't expect marriage to be an earthly paradise or for husbands and wives to be angels. Hence they are satisfied with a home that they have to build up with their labor, but that is a shelter where they are warm and safe and snug, and with husbands and wives who have a thousand faults, but who give them love and companionship and loyalty and fidelity.

All of which boils down into saying that marriage is a game for adults. It is no sport for kiddies.

DOROTHY DIX.  
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## Uncle Wiggly And Jackie's Bone

BY HOWARD R. GARIS

One day when Uncle Wiggly was hopping through the woods and thinking about Christmas, the rabbit gentleman saw, just ahead of him, Pettie the boy. The puppy dog boy, in through the snow, instead of whistling and barking and wagging his tail, as he nearly always did, Pettie was crouching and his tail didn't wag a bit.

"I wonder why Pettie is so cross," thought Uncle Wiggly. "I must ask him. It is too near Christmas for anyone to be cross. The rabbit gentleman hopped a bit faster and when he was close to Pettie he asked: 'What's the matter?'

"Oh, it's all Jackie's fault!" growled Pettie.

"What has Jackie done?" asked Mr. Longears.

"Well, he hasn't exactly done anything to me," Pettie said, making marks in the snow with his left front paw. "But Jackie has a secret and he won't tell me."

MAYBE A CHRISTMAS SECRET

"Perhaps it is a Christmas secret and shouldn't be told," said Uncle Wiggly, gently twinkling his pink nose.

"No, it isn't a Christmas secret," Pettie said. "I asked Jackie that and he said it wasn't."

"Well, what kind of a secret is it?" the rabbit gentleman asked.

"I don't know," Pettie said. "But yesterday when we came out of school, all of a sudden Jackie ran away from me. He ran off in the woods, but when I ran after him he told me to go back, as he had a secret. Then he ran faster and I couldn't see where he went. But he came back whistling and barking and wagging his tail, as he nearly always did. Pettie was crouching and his tail didn't wag a bit."

"Why not?" asked Uncle Wiggly.

"Because," answered Pettie, growling more than before, "Jackie and I made up that we would never have secrets from each other. I always tell him my secrets like where there are good places to find something good to eat or good places where you can scratch your head under a fence, and Jackie used to tell me his secrets. But this time he didn't and I'm mad at him."

"Oh, it isn't good to be mad, especially brothers," spoke Uncle Wiggly. "Why don't you ask him? Maybe Jackie will tell you his secret."

"No, he won't," growled Pettie. "I asked him before I started for school this morning, but he said he wouldn't tell. So I ran on without him. I'm not ever going to bark at Jackie again."

HAPPY JACKIE

"Oh, that's too bad," said the rabbit. "But wait a minute. Here comes Jackie now. He looks very happy. I'm sure he'll tell you the secret."

Jackie came trotting along, wagging his tail. He said "hello" to Uncle Wiggly and he barked "hello" to his brother. But Pettie didn't answer.

"What's the matter?" asked Jackie.

Seen Tarzan asked D'Arnot if he felt strong enough to be carried back to the cabin. He was anxious to go, longing to see Jane again. D'Arnot wrote: You cannot carry me all that distance. "That's easy," Tarzan laughed. So they set out. Mid-afternoon, they arrived. The cabin was deserted.

When D'Arnot regained consciousness he found himself lying in a little shelter of boughs. From the corner of his eye he saw the whole hideous scene at the stake: the strange white figure carrying him away. What fate lay in store for him now? Outside the hut he saw the squatting figure of a man.

## HOROSCOPE

"The stars incline, but do not compel"

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1934

Conflicting planetary aspects are active today, according to astrology. It is a day for careful procedure.

Lawyers now come into a period of widespread activity. Much litigation is forecast for coming months, when there will be many sensational cases, some of which concern the federal government.

Heads of government projects are today under the best possible planetary direction, which promises great success for national projects.

Again farmers are under adverse influences that seem to indicate a year of unrest and dissatisfaction. Although the stars promise tremendous demands for foodstuffs in the near future, these demands in return. Prices of many of the necessities of life now will show sharp advances and demand on relief organizations are prognosticated.

Women today are subject to a planetary government that encourages hospitality. Home now becomes extremely important as center of interest and fashion again demands that entertainment shall not take place in hotels and restaurants. Caution is advised in correspondence, legal papers and travel while this rule continues. Banking and matters should be carefully adjusted before the new year.

Jupiter is in a place that presages much progress for those who have been there may be some sort of alliance or compact with Great Britain and the United States, London astrologer's announcement.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of good fortune which includes pleasant friendships and romances.

Children born on this day will be popular and able to win success. The subjects of this sign usually are generous and progressive.

Isaac Shelby, first governor of Kentucky, was born on this day, 1739. Others who have celebrated it at a birthday include Hiram Paulding, naval officer, 1797; T. Coleman Du Pont, manufacturer, 1802; and Bela Lyon Pratt, sculptor, 1867.

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EMPEROR OF ASIA, Manila, Hongkong, Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama, December 13.

PACIFIC PRESIDENT, London, Liverpool, Manchester and Glasgow, December 13.

PRESIDENT GRANT, Philippines Islands, China and Japan, December 13.

HELAN MARU (at Vancouver), Japan, December 13.

LOCH GOLL, Rotterdam and London, December 13.

AOHANGI, Sydney, Auckland, Suva and Honolulu, December 13.

PACIFIC GROVE, Manchester, London, Liverpool and Glasgow, December 13.

EMPEROR OF CANADA, Manila, Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu, January 1.

GRACIA, United Kingdom, January 4.

TENDAREUS, China and Japan, January 5.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON, Philippines Islands, China and Japan, January 6.

HELAN MARU (at Vancouver), Japan, January 7.

**TO SAIL**

DECEMBER

PACIFIC EXPLORER (from Vancouver), United Kingdom, December 10.

EMPEROR OF JAPAN, Honolulu, Yokohama, Kobe, Shanghai, Hongkong and Manila, December 13.

HELAN MARU (from Vancouver), Japan, December 13.

PACIFIC PRESIDENT (from Vancouver), United Kingdom, December 13.

EMPEROR OF ASIA, Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki, Shanghai, Hongkong and Manila, December 13.

AOHANGI, Honolulu, Suva, Auckland and Sydney, January 1.

PRESIDENT GRANT, Japan, China and Philippines, January 5.

PACIFIC GROVE (from Vancouver), United Kingdom, January 5.

**Sunrise and Sunset**

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of December, 1934.

Day	Rises	Sets
10	7:51	4:30
11	7:52	4:29
12	7:53	4:28
13	7:54	4:27
14	7:55	4:26
15	7:56	4:25
16	7:57	4:24
17	7:58	4:23
18	7:59	4:22
19	8:00	4:21
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24	8:05	4:16
25	8:06	4:15
26	8:07	4:14
27	8:08	4:13
28	8:09	4:12
29	8:10	4:11
30	8:11	4:10
31	8:12	4:09

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## TO REPRESENT ORIENT LINE

Canadian National Railways to Be General Agents For Large Steamship Firm

Announcement that the Canadian National Railways would represent the Orient Steamship Line in Canada was made in Victoria this morning by Robert Creelman, passenger traffic manager for the C.N.R., who is a business visitor from his headquarters in Winnipeg.

This means that patrons of the Canadian National interested in travel between Europe and Australasia will have the advantage of first-hand information and booking arrangements on all vessels of the Orient Line, which is the premier mail-carrying steamship company under contract with the Australian Government. The line operates a regular service over an interesting route via the Mediterranean, calling at Gibraltar, Palma, Toulon, Naples, Port Said, Aden and Colombo.

During the spring and summer months some of the larger steamers of the fleet are engaged in an extensive series of luxury cruises to European countries.

The vessels of this fleet include the new Orma, the Ormsay, the Otranto, the Orford and the Orontes, all of 30,000 tons and carrying first and second class passengers, in addition to the Ormonde and the Orsola, of 15,000 tons and carrying tourist class passengers only.

**The Weather**

Daily Bulletin  
Published by the  
Victoria  
Meteorological  
Department

Victoria, 8 a.m., Dec. 10.—The barometer is falling over this province and rain is reported on the coast. Moderate southerly wind continues in the interior. Increasing easterly and southerly winds; unsettled and mild followed by rain.

**Reports**

Victoria—Barometer, 30.13; temperature, maximum yesterday 52, minimum 37; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, 1.46; rain-fall, 1.46.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.80; temperature, maximum yesterday 52, minimum 37; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, 1.46; rain-fall, 1.46.

Stevenson Point—Barometer, 30.05; temperature, maximum yesterday 52, minimum 37; wind, 12 miles E.; rain, 54; rain-fall, 54.

Tatlow—Barometer, maximum yesterday 44, minimum 36; wind, 6 miles E.; rain, 54.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, maximum yesterday 66, minimum 52; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, 54.

**Temperatures**

Place	Max.	Min.
Victoria	52	37
Nanaimo	49	36
Vancouver	47	35
New Westminster	47	35
Dawson	46	34
Edmonton	44	32
Portland	44	32
San Francisco	66	52
Kamloops	52	38
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# Merry Christmas

Yes, Children—*There Is a Santa Claus!*

**M**ORE than thirty years ago, Virginia O'Hanlon, aged eight, wrote The New York Sun asking if there was really a Santa Claus. Her little friends had told her there was none. Her father had suggested that she write the newspaper. "Please tell me the truth," she urged.

Charles A. Dana, the great editor, was dying at the time, and Edward P. Mitchell, who was in charge of affairs, passed the letter on to Francis P. Church, his assistant. Mr. Church received it without enthusiasm, and grumblingly sat down to produce a reply. The article he wrote has become famous. Here it is:

Virginia, your little friends are wrong. They have been affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age. They do not believe except they see. They think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible by their little minds. All minds, Virginia, whether they be men's or children's, are little. In this great universe of ours man is a mere insect, an ant, in his intellect, as compared with the boundless world about him, as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole of truth and knowledge.

Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love, and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! how dreary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus! It would be as dreary as if

there were no Virginia. There would be no childlike faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in sense and sight! The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

Not believe in Santa Claus! You might as well not believe in fairies! You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas Eve to catch Santa Claus; but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would that prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus. The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor men can see. Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there. Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders that are unseen and unseeable in the world.

You tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man, nor even the united strength of all the strongest men that ever lived, could tear apart. Only faith, fancy, poetry, love, romance, can push aside that curtain and view and picture the supernal beauty and glory beyond. Is it all real? Ah, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding.

No Santa Claus! Thank God! he lives, and he lives forever. A thousand years from now, Virginia, nay, ten times ten thousand years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood.



# Philanthropist Reaps Greatest Reward At Christmas

## Compensation From Giving Is Beyond Pocketbook's Reach

**Yuletide Season Offers Greatest Opportunity to Realize the Benefits of Making Others Happy**

Giving brings the greatest satisfaction a person can achieve, and the Christmas season offers the best opportunity for generosity. If it were not for the generous assistance of those who are able to give, Yuletide would be just another drab week in the lives of many Victorians, and would not bring the symbolical joy to children in need.

With this in mind, business men and women of Victoria annually devote thousands of dollars in cash and time towards the general observance of the Christmas season.

Business executives who often should remain at their desks to tackle the financial problems of their respective firms, give unsparingly towards this work, which gives them far greater satisfaction and true reward than the balancing of their economical budget.

A shining example of this type of work in Victoria is seen this year in the objective which the Victoria Gyro Club has undertaken, to distribute Christmas joy among those who derive greatest pleasure from it, replacing the work of the Friendly

Help and other welfare organizations. The Gyro Club, with its Christmas seal campaign, also does its share, although in a different sense, with its raising of funds to combat tuberculosis.

### SCOUTS CONTRIBUTE

Boy Scouts every year devote probably more time to making others happy at Christmas, than any other single organization. For weeks before Christmas they are engaged in collecting old toys and presents, which are remodelled for distribution in hampers.

In this work both adults and young boys learn the satisfaction which can only be reaped from giving. During the two weeks preceding Christmas these boys usually work until late at night in their toy shop as they straighten out the joints of dolls, put new wheels on baby buggies, take a dent out of the mudguard of a model fire engine, and a hundred and one other things. Then a couple of nights before Santa is scheduled to visit, their headquarters are a hive of industry as hampers of toys are arranged before being delivered throughout Greater Victoria.

Then there are those whose philanthropic work at Christmas passes unheard. Their practice is to choose certain families, usually those with whom they might be acquainted and fully cognizant of the circumstances surrounding their existence, and play Santa Claus to them.

Two or three days before Christmas the office of such men are stacked high with presents, each one designated to bring the singular spirit of Yuletide to a carefree child.



(From Florian's etching of Henri Lerolle's "Arrival of the Shepherds")

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them and said: Behold, I bring you tidings of great joy, for unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour. And this shall be a sign unto you: Ye shall find the baby wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger. And . . . the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem and see this thing which has come to pass. . . . And they came with haste, and found Mary and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger.

### Real Spirit

If the real spirit of Christmas is within us we will, indeed, find that it is more blessed to give than to receive, and we will give out of the fullness of our hearts and because of the joy that giving brings us. Instead of from any other motive. So to get the real joy of giving and to receive the richness of the Christmas spirit in fullest measure, give because your heart prompts you to and forget all else.—Katherine Edelman.

There are two Christmas Islands, one in the Pacific and one in the Indian Ocean.



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### Strange Customs At Christmastide

Many Quaint Beliefs Prevail at Yule Season on Continent and in Parts of Great Britain

Although Christmas is celebrated in much the same manner all over the world, different countries have certain customs peculiar to themselves. Germany is the one that has the greatest number of these perhaps, for German children regard Christmas Day with far more reverence than do those of any other nation. It was from Germany that the Christmas tree, laden with gifts, was first introduced. The idea, however, is really of Roman origin.

**GERMAN BELIEF**  
A firm belief among German children is that on December 25, animals have the gift of speech for twenty-four hours. Their inability to understand what they say is due, so their parents tell them, to the fact that they have misbehaved during some portion of the previous twelve months.

In Norway there is a pretty custom of providing a good dinner on Christmas Day for all domestic animals. The farmers give their horses and cows an extra supply of fodder, while sheaves of corn and dishes of burning are put out in the yard for the benefit of the birds.

**OLD ENGLISH PRACTICE**  
One of the commonest, as well as one of the oldest, practices still associated with the observance of Christmas in England is that of burning a "Yule" log. It was always lighted from a brand that had been carefully saved from the previous year's log. The word "Yule" is interesting to note, is derived from an old Anglo-Saxon one, meaning December.

**CURIOUS SUPERSTITIONS**  
There are many curious beliefs and superstitions associated in different parts of Great Britain with Christmas. One that is obtained in Devonshire is that a bright sun on December 25 means there is a strong feeling against being married on Christmas Day. . . . The villagers in remote parts of Worcestershire consider it very unlucky to have new boots or shoes in their houses any time between December 8 and 25. . . . In certain parts of Scotland there is a fixed belief that the first member of the family to open the door of a house on Christmas morning will have more luck during the next twelve months than anybody else in the house. If it does no other good the superstition is, at any rate, conducive to early rising on at least one day of the year.

### World Joyful At Christmas

The magic of Christmas lies over the world to-day, changing the dreary commonplace events of yesterday into things of wonder and delight and filling the earth with happiness and joy and cheer. It permeates the whole earth from end to end and mankind in every land and in every clime responds to it in the fullest measure. For into our hearts at this time there comes a beautiful something that raises us above ourselves and brings us to greater heights than we ever reach at any other time. For with the magic of Christmas time man buries self in trying to promote the happiness and well-being of others and in doing this finds the greatest happiness for himself also. It seems as if the more we give of love, of service and of ourselves the fuller grows the store from which we draw upon and the richer we grow in the things that make for our own happiness. Let us then allow the magic of Christmas to fall upon us so deeply that it may not only stay with us at this time but through all the days to follow.—Katherine Edelman.

### SCOUTS BRING CHEER TO MANY

Spreading Joy With Toys Just Another of Their Good Deeds

"New toys for old." Thus might the Boy Scouts paraphrase the old saying when planning what has become a very integral part of their Christmas activities in Victoria and other parts of Canada.

For weeks before Christmas, the Boy Scouts operate a vigorous campaign to get old, abandoned toys. These they receive in their headquarters and workshop and spend many hours in their renovation. Old forgotten dolls are brought back to life. A new leg is affixed to the body. The face is retouched with bright colors. Perhaps a new crop of hair is glued in place and a multitude of playthings, which would otherwise have been discarded, are brought back to life. A new leg is affixed to the body. The face is retouched with bright colors. Perhaps a new crop of hair is glued in place and a multitude of playthings, which would otherwise have been discarded, are brought back to life.

The same process is adopted in the re-creation of toy drums, buggies, wagons, trains, automobiles and a multitude of playthings. Night after night these boys sacrifice their time in helping Santa Claus in his superhuman task.

When these thousands of toys are finally prepared, the Scouts then undertake the task of distribution. Or they may send many parcels to various churches or charitable institutions to be included in their Christmas baskets to be sent to poor families on Christmas Day.

We talked to some of the Boy Scouts the other day. But innate modesty renders them extremely quiet on the subject of their labors. They are glad to have the organization and facilities at their disposal for such fruitful work.

It's just another good deed to them!

### Christmas To-day

Thirty-four years of the twentieth century have nearly passed by. And what dramatic changes, what drastic revolutions we have witnessed over that span of years. When considered in connection with Christmas, perhaps the change is even more impressive.

Let us imagine an individual who has been out of touch with civilization for the past thirty or more years arrives in the city just in time for our 1934 Yuletide celebrations. Can you imagine his emotions upon entering a big city like Montreal, Toronto, Halifax, Winnipeg or Vancouver on Christmas Eve? Could you wonder at his amazement, at him rubbing his eyes at the vast array of inventions and innovations that have swept the world in that period of years?

**SPEED IS ESSENCE**  
For no longer must we await the slow, uncertain means of horse-drawn vehicles. Fleet trains, automobiles, airplanes and ocean liners speed across land and sea bearing with them gifts for loved ones.

And while letters still play an important role at Christmas, speedy telegraphs and cable service aid us in the dissemination of messages, money and flowers.

Even the old gramophone has been superseded by the radio, which brings us music, Christmas greetings and other messages from the world over as the vast networks of every great nation are linked together at this festive season.

Our imaginary friend would find civilization no longer isolated by great distances but rather united into one in the celebration of the birth of Christ.

"Peace on earth, goodwill toward men," has a vastly different and enlarged meaning to-day.

### Everlasting Peace

It is not by the process of statutory enactment that the world's strife ultimately will be allayed but by a continuance, a perseverance of the message of peace that is associated with the Christmas season throughout the other 364 days of each year.

It is only by constant expression of these qualities—charity, tolerance, gentleness, brotherhood and kindness—which take possession of the human heart at Christmastide, that we may learn to live by the same standards which were set for us by the Master.

Humanity is struggling for a goal unknown. During the last few years that struggle, that fight for very existence, has become intensified by the toll of economic and industrial depression. At times we wonder if that goal is not the happy time when the spirit of Christmas will, instead of being confined to a day or a season, spread out to include all days of the year.

The reason that the qualities of human kindness are so in evidence at Christmas, that they seem to be in the very air we breathe, is that all these are Yuletide qualities, and that Christmas is the only day when they are so generally present that they are a natural part of daily life.

Just so long as that spirit continues dominant in the hearts of men throughout the year will the Christmas season be prolonged and continue to give its blessings to mankind.

For Christmas and happiness are synonymous. And the true definition of happiness is doing something for others. Why not make it always?

### BOTH DISAPPOINTED



He—I expected you'd stand under the mistletoe when I called.  
She—And I expected you'd have an armful of Christmas presents.

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# King Will Broadcast Yuletide Message To Empire

## Radio Brings Yuletide Joy

As December 25 rolls around, no longer must we rely solely upon sporadic messages from the frozen reaches of the far north to inform us of Santa Claus's progress. No longer must we wait until a few days before Christmas to hear his friendly booming voice ring out with Yuletide greetings.

For to-day, a new factor has been introduced into the celebration of this festive season. The radio! Science has now made it possible for us to tune in on our radio at home and hear Santa speak to the thousands of children that await him. We hear the jingle of his sleigh bells and the fleet gallop of his reindeer as they speed the sled, laden with gifts for every one, ever nearer the city.

As we hear his voice boom out, we can almost see his bright, rosy cheeks, his long white beard and the twinkle in his eyes as he laughs heartily in the face of the cold and snow of the northlands.

Imagine what a boon this inven-

tion is to the shut-in; to those who, for one reason or another—age, illness or infirmity—are confined to home, hospital or other institution. Imagine their delight at hearing—many perhaps for the first time—Santa's cheering chuckle and his words of hope and solace.

Imagine the joy that is brought to such individuals by hearing on Christmas morning the joyful peal of church bells, the swell of the mighty organ, the chant of the choir and the sonorous voice of minister or priest as they celebrate with their flocks the birth of Christ.

Truly Christmas and the radio have become inseparably linked and, until the birth of another and even more useful invention, will continue to bring closer and make more dear to thousands the ideals Christ brings to us.

### A Royal Recipe

The following was given to the prize-winner's mother by Queen Alexandra's cook and was used for years in the royal household:

Ingredients: 1 lb. suet, 1 lb. raisins, 1 lb. currants, 1/2 lb. mixed peel, 1/2 lb. flour, 1/2 lb. bread crumbs, 1/2 lb. brown sugar, 1 glass of brandy, 1 nutmeg, 6 eggs.

## Greetings of His Majesty Headline Holiday Schedule

Elaborate Plans For Christmas Entertainment Announced By British Broadcasting Company, National Broadcasters and Columbia Network

The British Broadcasting Company announces that His Majesty the King has graciously consented to broadcast a Christmas Day message to the empire on December 25 at the conclusion of another special programme, to which those dominions which are linked to Great Britain by radio telephone will contribute.

In order to facilitate the world-wide propagation of this broadcast three short-wave transmitters will radiate simultaneously, namely the two Empire transmitters at Darenty on GSG and GSB and the CBSW at Chelmsford, which will operate on the wavelength of GSD. The programme will probably be relayed through stations of the Pacific Northwest.

The special schedule of wavelengths in operation on Christmas Day will be as follows, Victoria time:

2.45 to 4.30 a.m.—GSG and GSF.  
4.30 to 4.45 a.m.—GSG.  
4.45 to 7.45 a.m.—GSG and GSB.  
5 to 7.45 a.m.—GSD (GSSW).

It is probable that reception from GSB or GSD (GSSW) will be better in Australia, New Zealand, India, Ceylon, and the east, while GSG should be heard well at this time of year throughout South Africa.

At 7.45 P.M.T. the Empire transmitters at Darenty will revert to their normal frequencies in Transmission 3 as published.

Electrical recordings of this programme will be radiated later as follows:

Trans. 1—Wednesday, December 26, 3.25 a.m. P.M.T.  
Trans. 2—Wednesday, December 26, at 3.00 a.m. P.M.T.  
Trans. 4—Tuesday, December 25, at 10.05 a.m. P.M.T.  
Trans. 5—Tuesday, December 25, at 3.35 p.m. P.M.T.

NBC PLANS

The Christmas season will be celebrated over National Broadcasting Company networks with the most elaborate and diverse schedule of programmes ever presented over the network. Special broadcasts of music and seasonal observances will be relayed to NBC audiences from foreign countries and from cities in the United States, bringing to listeners famous choirs and orchestras, drama, grand opera, and church services on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

Final arrangements have not yet been completed on a number of the special broadcasts, but the partial schedule already includes many outstanding features.

The famous Catacombs in Rome, Italy, refuge of the early Christian martyrs, will be the scene of an international programme heard over NBC networks. A liturgical service of ancient songs of the church will be sung by the Benedictine Choir of San Anselmo's Church. A description of the Domitilla Catacombs will be given by the Rev. William Michael Ducey, O.S.B., of St. Anselm's Priory in Washington, D.C., who is now in Rome.

King George of England will send a Christmas greeting to America during a special holiday programme short-wave to NBC networks by the British Broadcasting Corporation.

"Hansel and Gretel," Humperdinck's famous Christmas opera will be broadcast from the stage of the Metropolitan Opera House over combined NBC networks on Christmas Day.

A Christmas morning carol service in German will come to network listeners from Zion Lutheran Church, in Baltimore, one of the oldest churches in the country. A chorus of 350 voices and a choir of trumpets will be heard; the broadcast also being sent by short wave to audiences in Germany.

CHRISTMAS EVE

Arrangements are now being made to broadcast the Christmas Eve services from the ancient Einsiedeln Monastery in Switzerland. This programme will be followed by a special

concert of Christmas music by the Cleveland Symphony Orchestra and another short wave programme of Yuletide folk songs from a little village in Czechoslovakia.

Other NBC programmes during the afternoon and early evening include the lighting of the Community Christmas Tree near the White House, the presentation by a large chorus and soloists of Maunders' lovely cantata, "Bethlehem," a radio adaptation of Jerome K. Jerome's famous allegory, "The Passing of the Third Floor Back," by the NBC Radio Guild, a message to wounded World War veterans by the American Legion national commander, Frank Belgrano, and the annual Christmas Eve party at the National Press Club in Washington.

Because arrangements for these broadcasts are somewhat indefinite as yet, it is impossible to state which Pacific Coast stations will release them.

### ACTOR ON CBS

Two elaborate three-hour radio shows, star-studded with operatic, movie, theatrical and literary figures, will be presented over the nationwide Columbia network as Christmas and New Year's gifts to the radio listeners of the country. It is expected that nearly 100 stations will carry the Christmas Day and New Year's Day marathons reveries to loudspeakers in every home.

Lionel Barrymore, distinguished actor of stage and screen, will make his microphone debut in a dramatic role in the Christmas Day radio package. He will portray the character of "Scrooge" in a condensed version of Charles Dickens' greatest Yuletide story, "A Christmas Carol." Barrymore will be heard from Hollywood, as will other motion picture stars to be announced later. Celebrities in all branches of entertainment and art will entertain from New York and Chicago during the three-hour Christmas party. An array of orchestras will provide the music.

The addition of the three-hour period on New Year's Day will constitute radio's greatest combination of concentrated time, talent and coverage ever attempted by a single sponsor. This heralding of 1935 with entertainment galore will come from New York, Chicago and Hollywood.

The broadcasts will come to Victoria listeners over stations KOL, KVI and KSL.

## Wardrobe Accessories Offer First Aid to Gift List



### By MARIAN YOUNG

The new accessories are the simple and adequate answer to the perplexing question, "What shall I give her for Christmas?" Give her a bag, and belt set, gloves, a scarf, a glamorous fur cape and hat or some such item to freshen up her wardrobe; and rest assured that your gift will be appreciated.

First of all look at bags. A girl seldom has an adequate supply of them and even if she has, she'll love to find good use for one more. Fur bags are the latest accessory innovation and to complement a sports or informal daytime suit, they cannot be best.

Handsome suede and calf tags are trimmed with exciting monograms and you may be sure that a gift which bears her initials always is doubly dear to the recipient. Monday means the difference between a thrilling gift and one that is just so-so. Remember that when you

select handkerchiefs, linen, underwear, accessories—anything!

A tailored girl or one who dislikes frills and ruffles will like accessories that are original in shape, and quality rather than unique in trimming. Whether you are choosing leather, wool, silk or satin, make sure that the workmanship is above reproach and that the lines are conventional enough to make the gift useful with more than one outfit.

A beautiful accessory may not be something startlingly new. Most of the leading couturiers favor items which confer a touch of youthfulness and add grace to a dress or suit.

Among the practical ideas of the season are the gloves with detachable cuffs and a scarf to match. With different gauntlets the same gloves can serve for various ensembles. Even with a single ensemble, these accessories in scarf and cuffs will do much to relieve any sense of monotony. Fur caplets and hats are smart

this winter. If you want to give some fashion-minded woman a really de luxe present, by all means choose one of these.

What could be more charming than the black galyak set sketched here to-day? Consisting of an original caplet that opens at the back, tying in a bow under the chin and supplemented by a high-crowned hat, it can be worn with a collarless coat and with plain dresses.

The other Christmas-gift-suggestion accessories are by Jean Patou. The first group to go with an informal suit, includes left to right, a scarf of novelty wool with white leather monogram, practical pigskin gloves with straps at the wrists and a bag of ocelot. The other group (right), to wear with an all-black afternoon ensemble consists of necklace and bracelet set of emerald and diamond, a pair of brown reindeer, satin gloves with antelope palms and a scarf of red and green taffeta velvet.

## OLD YULETIDE HYMN FAVORITE

"O, Come All Ye Faithful" Expressive of Season's Spirit

There is scarcely a church of any denomination that does not some time during the Christmas season echo to the strains of that beautiful and soul-inspiring hymn, "O, Come All Ye Faithful." It seems to be a favorite at Yuletide in every land and in every clime, whether it is sung as above referred to, or in its original form as the "Adeste Fideles."

The hymn was first given to the world in the thirteenth century by a Franciscan monk, but did not gain world-wide popularity for a long time after. The English translation was made by Canon Frederick Oakley over sixty years ago. Since that time the hymn has been translated into the language of every nation and the sweet and lofty words ring out at Christmas time in many remote places.

But while the English translation has superseded the original Latin to a great extent, yet the beauty of the original composition is such that there are many who still prefer to hear it, even though the language is not their own.—Katherine Edelman

## Telegrams Bring Christmas Cheer

He was always busy, always rushing, always hurrying. He always had so many things to attend to and so many people were constantly pressing in upon his time with this demand, that, which required attention.

He wished he could see more of his friends. His friends wished they could see more of him. He was the sort they would like to see more of and at times they were a little annoyed that he was so busy.

He was busier than was really normal. They said he had no time for the pleasant things of life and that he could neither enjoy things himself nor could he be enjoyed because he was always having so much to do.

But he took time for one thing. He never failed to take time for it. Every Christmas he sent all his friends beautiful Christmas telegrams of cheer. He thought of them and he remembered them and every Christmas morning as his friends opened their gay Christmas telegrams they would say:

"He always finds time to think of me on Christmas morning, anyway! What a pleasure this is!"—Mary Graham Bonner.

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Most pictures show three wise men visiting the infant Christ, but there is no mention made of the number, in the biblical accounts.

**OUR CHRISTMAS TREE**  
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# Home-made Gifts Will Convey Most Sentiment

## Presents Made By Giver Carry More Christmas Spirit

Christmas time is gift time. And during the next few days most of us will be offering the conventional greetings, to be accompanied in many instances by some more tangible expression of our friendship.

Some gifts will be home-made, either from sentiment or other reasons, and there is no doubt that the home-made gift, woven with love, carries with it a far sweeter sentiment than the purchased present.

The suggestions that follow are meant only to provide ideas which,

once the mind starts working, will lead the way to innumerable other thoughts along the same lines.

### DRESS HANGER

To commence, we might mention a new treatment for a dress hanger. This is padded and covered with rose-colored satin, over which is stretched an eleven-inch square of lace with inserts of embroidery and an opening in the centre for the handle. The sides are caught together, also the front and back corners, and a ribbon rose is added in front. Perfume the padding of the hanger, and the little gift will be the daintiest imaginable.

A tiny sachet for the powder-puff,

### GOOD OLD MISTLETOE

The Swiss name for mistletoe is "Donnerbesen" or Thunder-Broom and it is suspended on the doors of farm houses as a protection against lightning. Of course, in Canada, Great Britain and the United States it receives an entirely different interpretation at Christmas—God bless it!

to be carried in the pocket or vanity bag, is made as a simple, round envelope of buckram, "sealed" with a silk rose and lined with quilted perfumed silk.

### FANCY HAT BOX

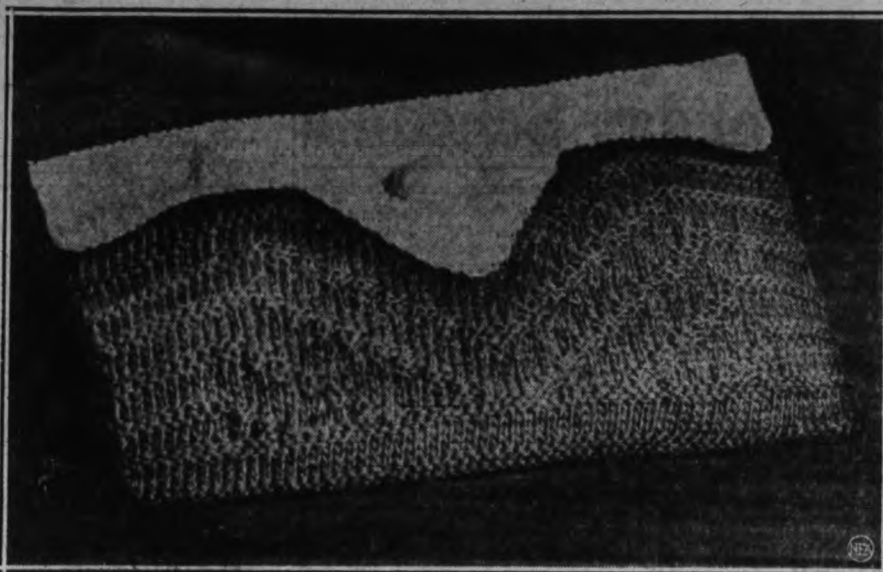
A fancy hat box is another attractive Christmas gift. The idea is an ordinary round hat box, covered with fancy chintz or wallpaper, and tied with handsome ribbon, arranged in a monster bow on the lid. Covering the box requires more care than skill. A striped pattern is one of the easiest to deal with as it is easy to hide joins under stripes. Cover the outside of the box first, using smooth paste or other good adhesive for the purpose, and pay particular attention to turning over the edges of chintz or paper neatly at the top and bottom of the box and the "drop" of the lid. The inside of the box can be lined with plain parchment paper.

The "cracker" pincushion with a celluloid doll on the top is always acceptable. Fancy silk over a stuffing made in the ordinary way (or ribbon may be used instead of piece-silk) produces an interesting creation. Finish the ends with self-fills or lace ones, tying them with gold braid, cut long enough to form a hanging loop. A novel idea is to make the cushion of cracker-red silk and strip it across, trellis-fashion with gold colored beise ribbon. The little doll must be firmly sewn, through its skirt, to the top of the pincushion.

### THE RIGHT COSTUME

Hubby—So you're going to take part in the Christmas Eve entertainment. What part do you take? Wife—I take the leading part. I'm Christmas Eve herself.

## Knitted Purse Solves Gift Problem



Purse knitted of mercerized cotton in two colors.

By CAROL CARR

How often have you heard one or another of your friends exclaim: "I do wish I had a purse to go with this dress." It seems, no matter how many purses may have accumulated among her possessions that there always is an urgent need for another in a more appropriate shade or material.

That is exactly why the knitted purse makes one of the most de-

sirable Christmas gifts on the list. Even if someone else provides a similar gift, the duplication in no way would detract from the value of yours since the other most likely would be in different color combination.

How easily purses can be knitted may be judged by the simplicity of design and stitch used in making the smart one pictured above. And in spite of its simplicity, it is so eminently practical that it should be

the answer to both the donor's and the recipient's prayers for attractive gifts.

Of course, economy is one of the features that recommends such a gift to the donor. This one was made of the new knit-cro shewn mercerized croch cotton that has the lustre to enhance the appearance value of the finished article. It can be made of other materials, too; but the croch cottons give a much desired substantiality.

## Keep Record Of Christmas

Why would not it be fun for a family to keep a record book in which to preserve the interesting things about the annual Christmas celebration from year to year? Some people keep a record of the important happenings of their everyday lives, but it is rather inconvenient for the average person to take the time to make

it complete enough to be more than a date and a line or two. A Christmas record would give all the details of the family's Christmas presents, the names of the guests, the menu of the Christmas dinner, the amusements and games, and maybe a tracing of the baby's first little shoe! Every succeeding year would add to its value and interest.—C. F. Wadsworth.

"Paw, what is a dark recess?" "Christmas vacation in an Eskimo college, my son." "Do they celebrate by giving a snow ball, paw?" "Bedtime, son."

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## Yule Log Is Old Custom

One of the most delightful of the Christmas ceremonies was bringing in the Yule log. According to an English writer, this was a massive piece of wood, frequently the rugged and grotesque root of a tree. It was drawn through the forest with shouting and laughter, while each way-farer reverently saluted it, since he knew it to be full of good promises and that in its flames would be burnt the sins of the year.

As it came into the great hall, the living-rooms of the old castle, each member of the family sat upon or saluted it in turn, and sang a Yule song, after which all drank to a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. A favorite Yule song began with:

Welcome be ye that are here,  
Welcome all, and make good cheer,  
Welcome all, another year,  
Welcome Yule.

—F. H. Sweet.

## CHRISTMAS ROSES

Frost above the pointed roofs,  
Snowballs in the air—  
Roses in the children's cheeks  
And laughter everywhere;

Sun is hid away perhaps?  
Gloom across the skies?  
Yet sunshine lingers everywhere  
In little children's eyes.

Christmas not quite what it was?  
Better days of yore?  
Yet children hang their stockings up  
As they have done before;

Still grows the holly on the tree,  
And still the robin sings,  
And those who would love Christmas time  
Must still love childish things.

What a part! As the Christmas comes  
Have in it great joy for anyone who  
looked for the price tag on a gift.  
Our character is likely to be revealed  
by the spirit of our receiving quite  
as well as by the spirit of our giving.

It is this fine art of receiving well  
that will not only make Christmas  
the more joyous, but will also be an  
all-year virtue. If it is cultivated in  
our hearts.—F. H. Sweet.

## Receiving Gifts Is Christmas Art

Of course, every gift given means also a gift received. Christmas always has two sides, and certainly there is great joy in receiving the tokens of love and friendship that come to us not because of their money value, for most gifts are bought for small sums, but because they convey to us an expression of someone's affection. I heard a young girl remark when a little gift came to her, "Well, that didn't break anyone's bank."

## Christmas Don'ts

Don't hang up a paper lantern by anything other than wire.  
Don't put candles where they are likely to drop and set fire to anything.  
Don't forget to be as punctual at a party as you would be at a business engagement.  
Don't forget there will still be food on the morrow.

## SMALL PINAFORE A WONDER!



By CAROL CARR

Little girls are problems at Christmas time, because you can be sure that someone is going to provide the much-desired doll, another friend will give books, the immediate family essential new clothes and oft-requested toys—so what is left if you want to give something different.

The solution to the puzzle for the industrious, make-it-yourself gift giver is the Alice in Wonderland pinafore, illustrated on the handsome youngster pictured above. It is called Alice in Wonderland pinafore because it takes you out of Wonderland and is modeled on the pinafore worn by the Alice sketched by Lewis Carroll.

The illustrated pinafore was made of mercerized croch cotton. Hence it will be inexpensive to make, washable and serviceable.

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# Beauty Aids Are The Cream of Presents

## Cosmetic Gifts For The Ladies Always Welcome

Beauty Creams and Toilet Articles Popular With Which to Favor Women

By ALICIA HART

If Santa Claus could summarize his experience, he would probably say "Show me a woman who doesn't want to find beauty preparations in her stocking Christmas morning, and I'll show you one who isn't interested in Christmas anyway."

He would be right, too. Any girl who lists the presents she would like to get generally puts cosmetics near the top. However, a warning is in order.

If you want to give presents that will be useful as well as appreciated, put a good deal of thought and time into the selection of them.

### OUT-OF-PLACE GIFTS

Naturally it is silly to send a jar of heavy tissue cream to a seventeen-year-old with a typical schoolgirl complexion. It is just as ridiculous to give a lipstick and rouge set to a woman who never uses either.

If you are not perfectly certain of her tastes and habits as far as make-up is concerned, give more generally useful gifts, such as perfume and bath luxuries.

Speaking of gifts for the bathroom.

there never has been a more lavish and handsome supply of preparation on the market. There are exquisite cakes of soap, fragrant as a field of spring flowers and done up in packages that are as smart as can be. You can find bathpowder, cologne and toilet water in harmonizing odors, of course.

If you really want to give a de luxe present, sent a set of beautiful bath towels, bath mat and face cloths. In the box put a large roller of cleansing tissues in a color to match the towels.

### FOR INTIMATE FRIEND

If you know a woman's beauty needs well enough to give her creams and lotions, look at new sets that include the three basic complexion aids. A particularly nice one, made by a reliable house, contains jars of cleansing and tissue cream and a bottle of skin tonic. Another intended for women who spend most of their week-ends out of town, is filled with two creams, a tonic and cleansing tissues, astringent oil, powder and toothpaste.

"What is the darkest, yet most enlightening substance we use at Christmas time?"

"Dunno, give it up!"

"Why, the ink we write our Christmas greetings with, of course!"

## Beauty of Snow At Yule Season

The beauty of snow is not on wide, glaring expanses, on level, unbroken plains. The eye could not endure, nor the heart accept, the blinding monotony of such conditions.

The beauty of snow lies in contrast. Who has not seen long, bluish shadows creep over it at sunset? Or marked with delight the thin pencilings of bare branches shifting over its surface by moonlight? Snow requires changes, interruptions, so to speak, to bring out its character. The ruggedness of hills makes the valleys yet more peaceful. The stark, rough "glory of the trees" lends decision to a landscape; the thinnest wind-whipped edges weave patterns of indescribable frailty on the pages of snow.

So it is with Christmas. We could hardly live up to Christmas every day in the year. The whole meaning would become worn and threadbare through constant association. When it does come, it should stand out by contrast, in great and shining beauty. The worries, fruits, failures and disappointments of the months just gone should lend the proper "shadowing," so that the purity of the day stands out in white distinction.

And if the heart must ache a little, as all hearts do no matter how great the happiness, let the pain be the pencilings of branches on the matchless page of Christmas, giving it added beauty and character.—Martha B. Thomas.

Father: "Where are your school-books, Tommy?"

"Well, dad, it's like this. The hospitals appealed for books at Christmas so I sent mine!"

## GIFTS FOR WOMEN



Included in this photograph of ideal Christmas gifts for beauty-minded women are: Bath towels and a roll of cleansing tissues in harmonizing color, perfume, toilet water, a perfumed boudoirier, a box of creams and one that contains bath powder, soap and a jar of hand cream.

## Christmas Tree Is Old Custom

The Christmas tree goes all the way back to the Egyptians for, from the ceremonial use of the palm tree in the worship of their Goddess Isis, the tree has been a part of the Christmas feast taking the place of the Pagan Yule log.

year might be accounted for and represented.

Each shoot of the palms nodding in obeisance to Goddess thanked Isis for each month of the year just past, during which special favor at her hands had been granted. Placed before her statue, the palms asked for indulgence and favor for the twelve months to come.

In northern climes, where of course there are no palms, the festivity continued down through the ages, the fir tree being substituted and the Christmas feast taking the place of the Pagan Yule log.

### Give It Up?

I wear a bright-colored jacket which is rather frayed at both ends but not from wear. I usually wear a smiling face, possibly because I am well-lined inside. I am full of surprises and words of wisdom. You are almost sure to meet me every Christmas.

What am I?—A Christmas cracker

## Christmas Thrill Greatest of All

The love in our hearts toward our fellow men; the happy, expectant, gay eagerness of children and their joyous, merry voices; the pure, white, soft beauty of snow; the deeply refreshing aroma of the forests which for a brief period we bring into our homes; the cheer of the home fireplace; the bringing together of all members of the family; the gaiety and the enthusiasm of Christmas shoppers; the stores, decorated and looking their best in holiday attire; the cordial, heartfelt greetings which are extended to us and which we extend to others; the renewing of old-time friendships by the sending of a bright Christmas card; the generosity in our souls toward all; the carols which ring out the Christmas spirit of ardent worship; the bright, significant stars twinkling down from the heavens above; the simplicity and the beauty of the Christmas season; all form a part of the great Christmas thrill. There is no thrill in the world like unto it!—Mary Graham Bonner.

## MORE BLESSED TO GIVE THAN RECEIVE

This has nothing to do with banks or savings accounts, but more money is saved at Christmas time than any other time of the year. Yes, saved. That may sound absurd to a lot of people who have spent all their money buying presents for their families and friends and neighbors, but it is true just the same. How? Why, because giving is the finest sort of saving, and not only saving, but investing. Every good gift is a permanent gain to the giver; it is better than a bank book carrying the same amount, for a gift is more truly a saving than credit account on a bank ledger. If you want to save your money, give it away—wisely. Does that sound unreasonable? Remember, it is more blessed to give than receive.—P. H. Sweet.

### A FAIR EXCHANGE

Laura and Tommy often had important discussions on serious subjects. Christmas evening found them in grave colloquy. There seemed to be a slight ambiguity about who was giving gifts, God or their father. It was a matter which could not be settled. Finally Laura said in a superior tone:

"You know, Tommy, that daddy isn't our only father; we have two."

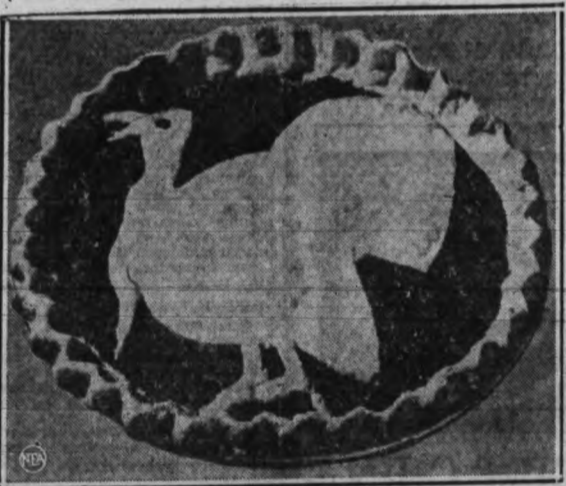
Tommy appeared surprised. "Who's the other one?" he asked.

"God!" answered Laura succinctly. Tommy gave the occasion much reflection. Then he said seriously: "What's the use of asking questions of heaven for a while and let God come down and stay with us—I'd like to get acquainted!"

### The Christmas Cracker

The cracker we can't do without. Of that there's not the slightest doubt. Since everybody knows that it is always bound to make a hit. For after all, pray does it not "Go with a bang" and "cap the lot."

## Christmas Pies in One Lesson



The mince pie can be given an unquestioned Christmas air if the top crust is cut in the outline of a turkey! Dried mince meat simplifies the pie-making.

### By MARY E. DAGUE

This little treatise on pie-making is intended especially for the young housekeeper who is on needles and pins about her first Christmas dinner. Pie, believe it or not, is easy to make if you will follow closely a reliable recipe and use the best materials. The first important item is shortening. Butter is expensive but it does give a pleasant flavor. However, many cooks prefer lard, others swear by vegetable shortening, and still others would not use anything but oil. You take your choice—but whatever it is, make sure it is good of its kind. Cold water and cold, firm fat give a flaky, light crust. Pastry made with hot water and liquid fat is more compact but very short.

For nine-inch pie with two crusts you will need one cup sifted flour, 1 scant teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon baking powder (optional but it increases the flakiness), 8 tablespoons firm shortening, 4 tablespoons cold water.

**USE GENERAL PURPOSE FLOUR**  
Sift flour once before measuring. I like good general purpose flour for pastry, but some cooks claim to get better results with pastry flour. Add salt and baking powder to flour and sift into mixing bowl. Measure shortening, dropping it through the flour mixture by the tablespoonful. Cut shortening into flour with two knives or pastry blender. Don't try to use your finger tips, because the heat of the hand warms the shortening.

Next add the water gradually, sprinkling one tablespoonful over a small area of the dry mixture and working it in with a knife. That

avoids the danger of too much water and tough crust.

Cut off about half the dough and roll on a lightly-floured molding board. Roll about one-eighth inch thick, rolling away from the centre and always lifting the rolling pin at the end of each stroke. Make the sheet a little larger than the pie dish and keep it as round as possible.

Regardless of the old saying that "It's a poor pie crust that can't grease its own dish," you will find it keeps your undercrust from absorbing the filling if you do grease the pie dish. For this, use the shortening that goes into the crust.

**DAMPEN FOR UPPER CRUST PIE**  
Fold the sheet of pastry in half and place in the pie dish, having the centre fold of the pastry exactly on the centre line of the pie plate. Unfold and press lightly into the dish against the bottom and sides and rim. Push it in and don't stretch it. Then trim the dough even with the edge of the pie dish by running a sharp knife around the edge of the plate. This rim is dampened for an upper crust pie before the upper crust is fitted over and then the rolling pin is run around the rim to press the bottom and top crusts firmly together. Flute afterward.

Pre-heat the oven to 450 degrees F. and bake for ten minutes if you are baking a single crust with a custard-like filling. Then reduce heat to 350 degrees F. and finish baking for thirty or forty minutes.

Bake a double crust pie with an uncooked filling at 450 degrees F. for forty minutes and with a cooked filling for thirty minutes at the same temperature.

## Air of Festivity For Holiday Season

Christmas Will Be Observed at Dominion Hotel With Special Banquet and Elaborate Decorations; Influx of Visitors Expected

There will be an air of festivity about the Dominion Hotel during Christmas week. Preparations are being made at the Yates Street hotel for the celebration of the Yuletide holiday on a scale that will compare with previous seasons.

Stephen Jones, manager, announces that the Dominion Hotel will extend the best of good cheer in the traditional Christmas spirit to its guests during the coming holiday season. Everything possible will be done, he states, to make this Christmas a memorable one for the guests.

The advance reservations indicate there will be a considerable number of visitors at the Dominion Hotel this Christmas from up-land and more distant points.

### SPECIAL DECORATIONS

The decorative scheme planned for the holiday will shortly be undertaken, and with its completion the Dominion's commodious lobby will be transformed with holly, greenery and seasonal flowers.

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served in the dining-room on Christmas Day and will be replete with turkey, Christmas pudding and all the edible accessories that make the Christmas feast one to be remembered.

The lobby lends itself easily to decorative cedar greenery, and no pains will be spared to make the public rooms seasonably attractive.

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# Medieval Pageantry At Celebration

## Yuletide Observance Brings Revival of Old English Customs

**Elaborate Programme of Entertainment Planned at C.P.R. Hostelry Will Have Colorful and Historic Background; Seventh Celebration Since Yuletide Festival Was Inaugurated in 1928 Will Retain All Its Picturesque Characteristics**

Carrying in the Boar's Head. Hauling in the Yule Log. Quaffing the Wassail Bowl. Carolling and song. Merry-making and feasting. Picturesque old English customs synonymous with medieval history will be revived with traditional pomp and pageantry at the annual Yuletide celebration which will be inaugurated at the Empress Hotel on December 22 and continue throughout Christmas week, to wind up with a

blaze of glory on New Year's Eve.

Probably no other city in Canada enters into the spirit of the Christmas season more colorfully than does Victoria. Six years have elapsed since the Canadian Pacific Railway introduced the Yuletide Festival to Victoria and, with survival through the years of economic depression, it bids fair to become an established institution here.

It was at Christmas in December, 1928, that the C.P.R. inaugurated this memorable celebration with the idea of attracting visitors here to participate in Christmas festivities patterned after the celebrations of Merrie England in the olden days.

### INCREASING IN POPULARITY

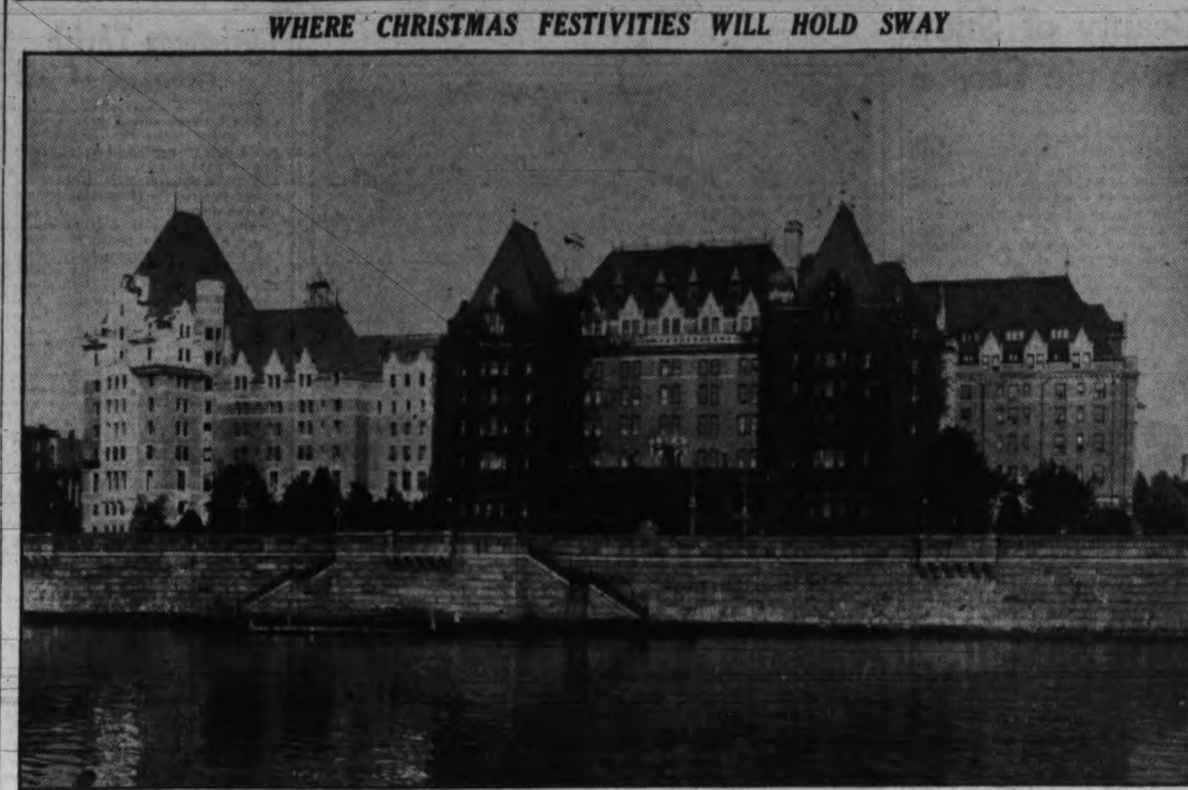
How the celebration, with its medieval picturesqueness, has survived is now a matter of history. With the passing of successive years the custom of spending the Christmas season at the Empress Hotel has steadily increased in popularity.

Last Christmas Day over 600 people sat down to dinner in the main dining-room and auxiliary banqueting halls and everybody voted it the most gorgeous time they had ever spent at Christmastide.

This large number will doubtless be greatly exceeded this coming Christmas Day, for Manager J. K. Hodges announces that already practically the whole of the space in the main dining-room has been booked for this year's celebration.

Reservations to date for the Christmas Day dinner have passed the 500 mark, it is announced. It is probable that the number handled this year will total 800.

In response to the demand for table space the hotel management has decided to requisition the main rotunda as a special dining room for Christmas Day. In this way the Christmas diners will be seated all together on the main floor of the Empress Hotel. The dining-room and rotunda, which adjoin each other, it is estimated, will be capable of seating upwards of a thousand guests. In previous years those who were late in making registrations had to be accommodated in the grill room or lower lounge, but with the utilization of the main lobby of the hotel this year the festive din-



EMPEROR HOTEL

ers will form one great happy party.

### MORE VISITORS

It is becoming more and more the thing with Victorians to eat their Christmas dinner at the Empress Hotel, in the glamorous atmosphere for which it has become so famous.

There will also be a considerable number of visitors who will take part in the colorful celebrations here. Reservations are being made by people from Eastern Canada and from certain sections of the United States, and there will be visitors from England who have previously enjoyed the experience.

Victoria, with its old-world atmosphere and widely publicized as a winter playground, is ideally equipped for such a celebration as the Yuletide Festival. True, there is an absence of ice and snow, which in other sections give added zest to the Christmas season, where, in the great outdoors, skating, skiing, tobogganing, snowshoeing and snowballing provide the vigorous exercise for those athletically inclined, but in every other respect Victoria holds an exalted position.

In place of ice and snow, Victoria has her famously mild-winter climate, caressed by Pacific zephyrs. In place of the ice reveals which easterners enjoy, perhaps too long, Victoria

has its greensward golf courses and flowering gardens.

Roses in bloom at Christmas time. It seems ridiculous, maybe, to some. But this city is a paradise of flowers. There is such a wealth of flowers in Victoria all the year round that the favored citizens think it unnecessary to comment upon the fact.

But other people, many from far distant places, come to Victoria and they go away again and never stop talking about the beautiful setting that is this city's heritage. It is this perfect setting, the mildness of the climate, the beautiful homes and verdant lawns, the blamy breezes which float in from the Pacific Ocean, the abundance of bloom, the variety and greenness of the trees, and the easy manner in which the people here ex- tract the most enjoyment from life, which makes Victoria specially suited for the observance of Christmastide.

### COLORFUL CEREMONIES

Where else is there to be witnessed such traditional Yuletide celebrations with all the ceremonial-linked with the merry days of old? In what other city other than Victoria could be witnessed the picturesque ceremony of "Hauling in the Yule Log," and the "Carrying in of the Boar's Head," re-produced with all the color of the days of Merrie England, when people ate and drank to excess and enjoyed it?

Visualize a modern hotel, the Empress Hotel, which, with its creper-covered walls and high towers and turrets, resembles a stately baronial castle. Consider myriads of colored light bulbs at night time, contributing to the beauty of an entrancing scene.

Large, growing holly berried trees, with their festoons of gay lights, offering a remarkable after-dusk spectacle, truly reminiscent of the joyous season. Imagine a vast banquet hall, resounding with music and carol singing and the laughter and gaiety of a great concourse of people, intent upon enjoyment to the full. The great hotel rotunda is an animated place—a thing alive. Strung from the great ivory columns supporting the ceiling are garlands of green cedar boughs with scarlet poinsettias vividly in evidence, while at points of vantage in the public rooms are giant and smaller Christmas trees, brilliantly illuminated and laden with tinsel and gay toys, which make them so fascinating to all.

### DINNER FEATURE

The outstanding feature of the Christmas dinner which is served at the Empress Hotel amid such colorful surroundings, is, of course, the "Bringing in of the Boar's Head," which is carried through the dining hall, high above the heads of the diners, by the chef and his attendants, preceded by a stately steward, arrayed in medieval costume and car-

rying the chains of office, the halls resounding to the singing of, "The Boar's Head in hand bear I, Bedeck'd with bays and rosemary, Quiet rests in convivia."

The scene is made complete by the jester with his cap and bells, making contortions and amusing the assemblage as the picturesque procession proceeds through the dining hall.

### BILL OF FARE

One of the busiest men at the Empress Hotel to-day is Casper Anderson, the chef.

What delectable dishes are being prepared in the hotel kitchens under his personal supervision for the Christmas fare.

Mr. Anderson was approached in his office, which has an unobstructed view of the vast and spotless kitchen, with a view to obtaining an idea of what delicacies will be served to Empress Hotel guests on Christmas Day. He was prepared and produced the menu from which the guests will order their dinner next Christmas evening.

Here is it:  
Mixed Olives Bordelaise  
Celery en Branche, Salted Almonds  
Crab Fluke Cocktail  
Thousand Island  
Consomme Riche, Madeira  
Creme of Asparagus, Argenteuil  
Filet of Sole, Polignac  
Roast Vancouver Island Turkey,  
Chestnut Dressing, Cranberry Sauce  
Roast-Buckling Pig, Spiced Peas  
Prime Ribs of Beef, Yorkshire  
Pudding  
New Peas a la Menthie  
Potatoes Fondantes  
Salade Caprice  
Plum Pudding, Brandy Sauce  
Mince Tartlet  
Coupes Helene  
Pettit Fours  
Canadian Stilton Imported Gruyere  
Gorgonzola  
Raisins Demi Tasse Mixed Nuts

The chef of to-day differs radically in his technique from the cooks of 1770, for instance, when the following were the chief components of the traditional Christmas pie.  
Two bushels of flour, twenty pounds of butter, four geese, two turkeys, two rabbits, four wild ducks, two woodcocks, six snipe, four partridges, two nests of turtledoves, two curlews, seven blackbirds and six pigeons. Incidentally, this pie measured nine feet in circumference and weighed about 168 pounds.

With all the feasting and jollification in contemplation, there is no doubt that the Empress Hotel, the venue of Victoria's social affairs, will be a pleasant place in which to celebrate Christmas this year.

### THE ENTERTAINERS

Major L. Bullock Webster will be director of the ceremonial, which will have its inception in the lower lounge, where the Yule Log ceremony will be performed at the blazing hearth. The vast dining hall will resound

with music and song as the medieval retainers in the costume of the Tudor period parade among the guests, resolutely chanting as they progress.

The procession will be preceded by a trumpeter, a role taken by Ernie Rance, and the lampbearers, Bruce McDowall and Jack Elliott, pages. The Elizabethan quartette, which will figure prominently in the ceremonial, will be composed of Miss Merle North, Miss Ora Jealous, Llewellyn Jones and Jack Townsend. Dudley Wickett will be featured as the high steward, and the Major Domo will be Cliff Prescott.

Geraldine Patterson will fill the role of court jester, in traditional cap and bells and presenting a variety of contortionist stunts ahead of the procession.

The task of carrying the boar's head through the banquet hall will devolve upon a usual upon A. E. (Chick) Holmes, as the chef's deputy. Resplendent in white, he will be attended by Jack Little and Jack Robertson, as kitchen servers. Wending its way slowly through the great assemblage of diners, the spectacle, harking back to the days of medieval heraldry, will be a striking one. Carols will be sung as the procession progresses.

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### WEEK'S PROGRAMME

An elaborate programme has been arranged for the holiday week. It is announced by Manager J. K. Hodges as follows:

Saturday afternoon, December 22—Children's tea, featuring special clown acts; 9 p.m., supper dance in Crystal ballroom.

Sunday, December 23—Special music by the Empress concert orchestra, William F. Tickle conducting, in the hotel rotunda.

Monday, December 24—Special Christmas music by the hotel concert orchestra.

Tuesday, December 25—Carol singing, commencing at 9 a.m., by Elizabethan Quartette (Miss Merle North, Miss Ora Jealous, Llewellyn Jones and Jack Townsend), in Tudor costume; Christmas dinner, served at

7 p.m. in the main dining-room and the adjoining rotunda, featuring the ceremonial of the Yule Log and the Boar's Head, with its accompanying pageantry and carol singing; Christmas ball in the ballroom.

Wednesday, December 26 (Boxing Day)—Beaux-Arts Bal Masque, ballroom.  
Thursday, December 27—Children's annual fancy dress ball in aid of Navy League funds, ballroom.

Friday, December 28—Special music by Empress orchestra and vocal programme.

Saturday, December 29—Supper dance in ballroom.

Sunday, December 30—Special concert programme in main rotunda.  
Monday, December 31—Annual New Year's Eve ball, featuring William F. Tickle's twelve-piece novelty band, and an elaborate programme of cabaret entertainment, Crystal ballroom.

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We be good fellows all—and I drink to thee.

Here's to Grey Dobbin, and to his right ear;  
God send our master a Happy New Year.  
A Happy New Year as e'er he did see;  
With my wassailing-bowl, I drink to thee.

Here's to Black Beauty, and to his right eye;  
God send our good mistress a good Christmas pie.  
A good Christmas pie as e'er I did see;  
With my wassailing-bowl, I drink to thee.



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## Electricity Is Cinderella of Modern Times

You remember the story of Cinderella? You remember how her older sisters kept her cooking and scrubbing in the kitchen while they led a life of indolent pleasure. And you will recall how on a particular evening when Cinderella was feeling unusually tired and despondent amid the grime and aches and her sisters were attending a strictly exclusive ball in honor of the prince and poor Cinderella was just wondering what was the use of struggling along when a fairy entered the kitchen and by one touch of her magic wand cleaned up the kitchen and dressed Cinderella in the most stunning clothes you ever saw and sent her off to the ball in a coach and four.

You will recall that when Cinderella arrived at the ball she was the belle of the evening. The prince fell in love with her and the rest of the story about the glass slippers and the pumpkins and the getting home early and how the prince finally married Cinderella and how they lived happily ever after is too well known to need repetition here. Just a fairy tale, you say. There are no Cinderellas and no fairy godmothers these days.

Just a minute! You may not think so, but there are quite a few Cinderellas, even in these enlightened days and there is a fairy godmother waiting to befriend these modern Cinderellas.

### ELECTRICITY IS FAIRY

And who, you ask, is the fairy with the magic wand? If you have not already guessed, will you be very surprised to hear it is electricity. Just think it over for a moment. To-day electricity not only lights your home, but it stands ready to do practically every household task—from making a slice of toast to cooking a whole meal; from washing and ironing a pocket handkerchief to washing and ironing the largest and heaviest piece of the family laundry. It will clean a rug or a carpet in less time than it takes to assemble the ordinary hand-sweeping and cleaning implements, and will do a far more thorough job. It will preserve food and keep it fresh and healthful. It will make the most delicious ices, salads, pastas, etc. and all with no more effort than the waving of a magic wand.

This modern counterpart of the magic wand is no make-belief. In practically every home to-day it is no further away than the wall in every room. It is the electric switch on the wall and madam housewife only has to touch it to summon the counterpart of the fairy in the story of Cinderella and it will accomplish in a few minutes what formerly took hours of the housewife's time, releasing her as if by magic from the drudgery and hard work of household routine, giving her time for recreation and pleasure, besides preserving her health and good looks.

### SERVICEABLE APPLIANCES

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Such appliances make ideal Christmas gifts and anyone pondering the "What to Give" problem cannot do better than pay a visit to one of the several electrical appliance stores in the city and look over the many beautiful and practical gift suggestions to be found on display.

## ELECTRICAL GIFTS VARY

The happy exchange of Christmas presents is becoming more and more the receiving of practical gifts. But even the most practical giver desires beauty as well as utility in his Yuletide offering, and it is the unusual qualities in the many small and inexpensive electrical appliances that has placed the electrical gift high in the list of popular choice.

In addition to the gaily-colored electric light sets which to-day make the home Christmas tree a never-to-be-forgotten sight in the memory of the children, there appears this year new and improved Christmas tree electric lighting sets that are not only absolutely safe but will enhance the beauty of many a Victorian Christmas tree this year.

### VARIETY OF GIFTS

Of course, there is an almost infinite variety in the number of electrical gifts that bring comfort and pleasure to every member of the family. For instance, a new electric tea kettle, whose use in the household are legion. An electric waffle iron will solve many a what-to-have-for-lunch problem. An electric cleaner will bring excitement and joy from mother. An electric washing machine will save her hours of hard, health-destroying drudgery, while an electric range or refrigerator will bring a new and better standard of living to every member of the family.

Such things as warming pads and portable heaters. Such things will be especially appreciated by elderly people and all who need a little extra warmth and comfort for their well-being throughout the year.

Visitor: "And do you like Christmas pudding, Tommy?"

Tommy: "Not always, sir."

"Why is that?"

"I like it very much indeed on Christmas Day. I go on liking it more and more until it has all disappeared, and then somehow I don't like it at all!"

## FRUITBEARING TURKEY NEW DELICACY



Lemons, prepared for serving with each portion of meat, are the garnish that will be featured with turkey on many Christmas tables this year.

**THERE CAME A KING**  
There came a King to Bethlehem Town,  
Two thousand years gone by,  
Who had no crime robes or crown  
To mark His royalty;

Who found no throng to pave His road  
With palms or carpets gay,  
Nor palace for His rich abode,  
Nor courtiers to obey.

Yet empire vast awaited Him  
On mountain, moor and main;  
Even Europe's tangled forests dim  
Held subjects for His reign.

And soon confusion ceased to hold  
Uninterrupted power,  
And some of earth's oppressions old  
Began to crumble and cover.

There came a King to Bethlehem Town,  
Two thousand years gone by,  
And angels from the heavens spoke  
A royal prophecy.

That while the red sun's central flame  
Should warm the central spheres  
Though every other kingly name  
Lay dead among the years.

This king would hold His state above  
The weakness of decay,  
Because the eternal power of love  
Should base His throne away.

There came a King to Bethlehem Town,  
Two thousand years gone by,  
And still He reigns, and still speaks  
The angels' prophecy.

And some fair century yet to rise  
His power complete shall grow,  
And all earth's accepted cruelties  
Before His throne lie low.

## TO BROADCAST WORLD SCENES

**British Empire Programme Christmas Day Will Be of Elaborate Nature**

The Canadian Radio Commission announces that the British Broadcasting Corporation programme to be heard around the world.

The empire programme this Christmas will be much more elaborate and should be more interesting than the Christmas programmes of the last two years. The basic idea on which the programme is being built is that of bringing into the broadcast typical national scenes from various countries of the empire.

Canada will enter the programme with typical Canadian scenes at three different times during the hour and ten minutes of the broadcast. The first Canadian scene will be from a Quebec lumber camp, a microphone picking up songs by the lumberjacks. This will be followed immediately by a broadcast from British Columbia, contrasting a scene of a snow-capped mountain side with a bit of activity on the seashore. Later in the programme Canada will contribute a scene from a fisherman's cottage in the Maritime Provinces, and still later, to provide a further representation of Christmas Day in this country, there will be a brief pickup from a hockey game and children's skating party somewhere in the Dominion.

Other broadcast scenes in the programme will come from a dairy farm in New Zealand, the famous botanical gardens at Melbourne, Australia, a cattle ranch in Queensland, Australia, a tea garden in India, an army post at the Khyber Pass in India, the home of the Chelsea pensioners in London, a Christmas celebration in Ireland, and a power station on the Shannon in Ireland, a skyscraper at Johannesburg, South Africa, a whaling port in New Zealand, a toll keeper's stand on the famous Sydney Bridge at Sydney, Australia, a native compound in South Africa.

**KING'S MESSAGE**  
As in the two former empire Christmas broadcasts, the broadcast this Christmas will conclude with a message from His Majesty the King, speaking from Sandringham to his subjects throughout the Empire.

Altogether Canada will be heard five times during the broadcast. The programme will open with the ringing of Christmas bells around the world, commencing with the bells of Bethlehem and including bells in India, Australia, Canada, Ireland and England. The carillon in the Peace Tower at Ottawa will contribute to this introduction. Then, in the finale to the programme, following the King's message, massed choirs and orchestras in England, Australia, South Africa and Canada will be merged by the control boards of the British Broadcasting Corporation.

tion in London in an empire-wide rendition of the National Anthem.

Listeners for the programme on Christmas morning will hear first at 8.55, E.S.T., the notes of an organ and chorus in a Christmas hymn from Broadcasting House in London, and then will come the peeling of the bells from the Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem. The programme will continue for over an hour, picking up different parts of the empire until 10 o'clock, when His Majesty will be heard, and then the combined empire choirs in the National Anthem.

### CHRISTMAS DAY EMPIRE PROGRAMME

8.55—Hymn, chorus and organ.  
Broadcasting House, London. Bethlehem bells. Organ. Bell. Wellington bells. Ottawa bells. Ireland bells. St. Paul's bells. Big Ben. London item. New Zealand, dairy farming. Canada, lumber industry (a) Quebec lumber camp; (b) British Columbia scene. Australia (a) Botanical Gardens, Melbourne; (b) drover, Northwest Queensland; (c) wheat farm, S.A. India, tea garden. U.K. Chelsea pensioners. India, army officer at Khyber Pass. Ireland, man of Aran. South Africa, Johannesburg skyscraper. Ireland, power station on the Shannon. Rhodesia, Salisbury. U.K. Morley (O.B.). Canada, fisherman's cottage, Maritime Provinces. New Zealand, whaling industry. Australia (a) toll-keeper at Sydney Bridge; (b) life-saver, New South Wales. Canada, hockey and children's skating party. Australia (a) railway settler; (b) Hobart fisherman. South Africa, native compound. Timbuctoo.

10.00—Sandringham.  
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